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COUNCIL MEETS

Reeve W. C. West presided at the regular Council meeting on Monday night, with Councillors Thos. Cranston, D. A. Burkitt, Harper Rollins and J. S. Whitehead present.

Mr. Claude Tucker interviewed the Council asking if a reduction could be made in the price of permanent water for farmers. At present it is 5 cents per head, gross, for horses and cattle, plus a service charge. Council took no action as the members felt the rate reasonable.

The following accounts were paid:

H. A. Wicket, Transients ...	3.95
H. A. Wickett, ¼ salary ...	25.00
Ezra Nicolson, kindling wood, Deline ...	.50
H. Hadley, coal, theatre	115.19
Thos. Spry, coal, fire hall ...	7.50
F. Joblin, attending Council rooms, 4 mos.	3.00
Wm. Bowen, attending Define 10 days	10.00
W. Loney, Digging grave ...	1.50
E. Dainard, digging grave ...	1.50
F. McCutcheon, cemetery ...	1.00
Miss L. Smith, typing Auditors' reports	6.00
C. Belshaw, drawing wood ...	6.00
Sam Eggleton, salary	40.00
News-Argus	3.18
G. H. Luery, express	.60
Wm. Bowen, wk. streets	.75
Dr. J. S. Demorest, certificate M. Fowler	5.00
Thos. Francis, cutting wood, relief	5.00
News-Argus, Stirling Theatre	6.36
Thos. Montgomery jr., drawing wood	2.00
T. Heard, Salary	27.08
Hydro-Electric, Billing and Collecting, Wwks.	10.00
R. Lawrence, work on mains .	1.50
A. Wannamaker, milk for relief	12.10
N. E. Eggleton, relief	5.20
G. H. Luery, relief	7.00
Stirling Wood Yard, relief ..	16.00
Dr. J. S. Demorest, Ryckman	8.00
Dr. J. S. Demorest, Mrs. G. Lawrence	13.00
J. E. Munro, Milk, relief	4.50
N. E. Eggleton, relief, Bedell	3.23
Hydro-Electric System—	
Street Lighting	120.00
Community Hall	1.40
Community Service Bldg. ...	17.40
Waterworks	23.65
Fire Hall	.75
Power for Thawing Pipes ..	28.20
Wwks. Sys. Pump House ..	.77
Stirling Waterworks	
Community Hall	2.52
Hydrant Rental	116.67
Harry Hulin, Auditors' Sal. .	25.00
C. W. Thompson, Aud. Sal. .	25.00
R. C. Wright, snow plowing ..	1.50
Waterworks, Hydro, express, Etc.	51.45

Councillor Whitehead spoke on behalf of the Band for the use of the Hall free for the Band Dance on Monday night. The band must pay the rental, but the Council gave a donation of $10.00.

Several communications of little importance were received and filed.

The local Hydro-Electric statement was received and filed. The same appeared in full in last week's issue of the News-Argus.

The question of a fish slide at the dam to aid the fish in their spring "run" was discussed. Reeve West stated that Mr. C. N. Baker, in charge of the dam, assured him that the dam would be lowered when the "run" started, to permit the fish to go up stream.

Councillor Burkitt felt — and rightly so — that a closer check should be made on persons who start up in business when the overhead cost is cheap, and then quit when winter comes, with the result no business tax is collected. He suggested that a business tax should be collected before they are permitted to start business. The transient traders' Act does not cover this. The matter will be investigated.

Different sections of the streets and walks will be inspected and repaired if possible. The stretch of road between the bridge at the dam and Front street will be repaired at once.

Councillor Cranston asked permission to put in an approach on the east side of his house, Front and Station Streets. Granted.

The question of pumping out cellars by the Fire Dept. was discussed. The council decided it would assume no responsibility in the matter and any monies paid for such service would, of course, belong to the Fire Dept.

It was decided to inspect the ditch at the rear of the buildings on the north side of Mill Street, even though the Corporation was not responsible for its blocking and causing a flood.

Tax Collector J. M. Magee and Treasurer R. A. Patterson were present and made a detailed report of tax arrears. Some of the taxes will be turned against the properties effected, and others will be collected through court. The taxes unpaid to date total approximately $1100.

Council adjourned.

MILK REPORT

The following is the report of milk samples sent to the Dept. of Health, Peterboro, by Inspector J. R. West, on March 28th:

	Bac.	B.F.
F. Stapley	30,000	3.3
Geo. Belshaw	60,000	1.6
Chas. Faires	30,000	2.9
E. Munro	20,000	5.6
F. McCutcheon	210,000	5.5
A. Wannamaker	20,000	3.8
Thos. Cranston	40,000	3.9

WELFARE CLUB

The Stirling Community Men's Welfare Club will be entertained by Belleville Rotary Club, Chamber of Commerce and Retail Merchants Association, at a dinner to be held at Bridge St. United Church, Belleville, (near Quinte House), tomorrow (Friday) at 7 p.m. The Stirling Club will supply the program with Rev. A. S. McConnell as speaker of the evening. As a special feature, Sir Henry Drayton will address the meeting at the conclusion of the regular program. All members are urged to be present. Will members who are able to furnish transportation and those requiring transportation notify Mr. Hulin at once. Cars will leave McKee's corner at 6.30 p.m. sharp.

The regular meeting of the Club will be held in the Community Hall, Tuesday, April 10th, at 7 p.m. Speaker, Mr. W. J. Dunlop, B.A., B. Paed., Director of Extension, University of Toronto.

ODDFELLOWS ARE HOSTS TO LADIES

A most enjoyable time was spent in the I.O.O.F. hall last night when a social evening was held. The Oddfellows entertained the ladies and there were over one hundred and thirty men and guests present. A splendid program was given, with K. I. Sine, Noble Grand, as chairman, as follows:

Address by Mrs. Geo. Megginson, P.D.D.G. of the Rebekah Lodge.

Solo by Miss Bessie Conley, accompanied by Mrs. E. W. Rowland.

Duet by Misses Mildred and Annie Elliott, of Bethel.

Piano solo — Mrs. R. H. Williams.

Quartette — S. A. Murphy, Maj. Fraser, Rev. J. A. Koffend and R. A. Patterson.

Reading — "Potatoes", by Mrs. Hattie Hubbel, Carmel.

Duet — Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Koffend — Negro spirituals.

Address — Rev. E. W. Rowland — "Experiences in Haliburton".

Reading — Mrs. Albert Hammond.

During the evening Community Singing was enjoyed, led by Rev. J. A. Koffend.

At the close of the program a tasty lunch was served by the men, after which an impromptu program was enjoyed. Mr. W. L. Anderson filled the role of toastmaster in a most capable manner, and his witty and humorous remarks kept the assembly in fine fettle throughout. The toasts were:

"To the Ladies", proposed by R. T. Dunlop, and responded to by Mrs. Harper Rollins.

"Grand Lodge — proposed by R. W. Meiklejohn, responded to by W. H. Heath, D.D.G.M.

"The Church", proposed by Rev. E. W. Rowland, responded to by Rev. J. A. Koffend.

Selection by Misses Elliott and B. Conley.

A vote of thanks on behalf of the program committee, to all taking part was moved by H. E. Hulin and S. A. Murphy.

The singing of Auld Lang Syne brought the happy event to a close.

EASTER WEEK SERVICES IN ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Holy Week and Easter were fittingly observed in St. John's Church, Stirling. On Wednesday of Holy week, a large congregation was present at the final illustrated Service dealing with the Crucifixion of Jesus Christ. During the Service Mr. F. Houchin sang "The Story of the Cross". On Good Friday, a Service was held, coinciding with the last hour of Our Lord upon the Cross, at which the Rector, Rev. A. S. McConnell, gave short addresses on "The Seven Words from the Cross" interspersed with hymns and meditation.

On Easter Day, Holy Communion was celebrated at 7.30 a.m., with a full choral celebration at 11.00 a.m., at which the choir rendered the special Easter music, with Mrs. H. H. Alger presiding at the organ and Mr. F. Houchin taking the solo in the anthem "More Love to Thee, O Christ". At 3.00 p.m. a special Easter service was held for the children of the Sunday School and their parents, at which the special self-denial offering on behalf of Missions was presented. Messrs Arthur Gould and Arthur Bateman assisted at the Service, with the Rector giving a short address to the children.

Holy Communion was celebrated at Trinity Church, Frankford at 9.00 a.m. with Evensong at 7.30 p.m. At both of these Services, the choir, under the capable direction of Mrs. E. E. Ketcheson, organist, and with Miss I. Ostrum as soloist, rendered special Easter Music.

ST. PAUL'S Y. P. S.

The Christian Endeavour Department conducted the meeting of St. Paul's Young People's Society on Easter Monday evening, and presented a splendid programme. The President conducted the devotional period. The bright Easter hymns were enjoyed by all. The "Easter Resurrection" Scripture Lesson, the twentieth chapter of St. John, was exceptionally well recited by Miss Grace Wright, followed with two short prayers given by Miss Mildred White and Bob Jones, concluding with all repeating the Lord's Prayer. Mrs. Jas. Balmforth, 1st vice-Pres. ably presided over the remaining program. An excellent Easter exercise was given by seven Junior members, namely Marion Tulloch, Helen Jeffrey, Irene Bronson, Marietta McKee, Ivy Lummiss, Mary Shore and Betty Jones, and was well received. Delbert Ashley gave an appropriate recitation entitled "Spring". Miss Evelyn Mallory read an excellent paper on Easter Day based on the text "If we then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above. It is an amazing change, the change from Good Friday to Easter. The beauty and wonder of it seize us year by year as it comes round, even though we know it is coming. Great crashing words bring to us some sense of the majesty and victory of the undying love and sacrifice of Good Friday. Easter has succeeded Good Friday. Our Master has come back to us. He passed through death and through the Spirit world and triumphant took His body again, and rose from the dead. He did not come back from death as those others did — Lazarus and the rest whom He called back to earthly life. He passed through it, and beyond it. As St. Paul said: "Death hath no more Dominion over Him"— the punishment of death was conquered, the sting had gone from it. Our life in Christ comes from Easter Day. Without Easter Day it could have no existence. All we have and are, we owe to Easter. We must bear the marks of Jesus if they are to recognize us as His members. Let us seek those things which are above, let us not be selfish. May we learn the lesson from Him who liveth, and was dead, and is alive for evermore. Mr. Ted Hildebrant favoured the audience with a very pleasing solo "In the Garden". Miss Madeline Luery staged the contest and in this the blue division carried off the honours. The colour count showed an attendance of 82. The Mizpah benediction brought the meeting to a successful conclusion. The Young People are planning to entertain St. Andrew's Guild next Monday night.

CLASSIFIED ADS PAY

PRESBYTERIAN CHOIR PRESENTS CANTATA

Music lovers were given a grand opportunity to see and hear the choir of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church at its best on Friday evening last, when the Cantata, "The Promise of Easter" was presented. The Choir was assisted by Miss L. Scott at the piano, Mr. G. L. Clute, bass soloist, Miss D. Sager, A.T.C.M. Gold Medalist; and Mr. S. Northrop, A.T.C.M. Gold Medalist. Much credit for the success of the cantata is due to Mr. Chas. Allen, choir leader and organist, who was in full charge, and through whose efforts this musical treat was staged.

The Church, decorated in line with the Spirit of Easter, created an appropriate background, and an atmosphere of expectancy pervaded and no one was disappointed in his expectation, unless in the fact of hopes being exceeded.

The evening opened with a well arranged program by the guest artists. The first number was an organ-piano duet, "Chants Sans Paroles", with Miss L. Scott, pianist, and Mr. Chas. Allen organist. A beautiful rendition of "Morning" and "Birth of Morn" were then sung by Miss D. Sager. Mr. S. Northrop thrilled his most attentive audience as his violin spoke volumes in melody through the strains of the "Last Rose of Summer" and "Leibesfreud". Miss Scott followed with a most acceptably given piano solo, "Lento" by Cyril Scott; after which the audience was favoured with "Resurrection Morn" and "Think on Me", by Miss Sager. Any who could have failed but be carried away in ecstasy as Mr. Northrop played an "Old Refrain" and "Mighty Lak' a Rose". Neither the organist nor pianist was lacking in ability as they inspired their audience with the strains of "Narcissus" in a piano-organ duet. This was followed by a duet, "Allegro Brilliant" after which Miss Sager sang in her beautiful soprano voice "Day is ended" and "Stillness of the Night", both having the violin obligato.

The Cantata was then given. "The Promise of Easter" was written and arranged by Mattie B. Shannon, music by Fred B. Holton.

The Cantata opened with full choir singing "The Gates of Praise Swing Open Wide", followed by "The Easter Promise" by Choir with solo selection taken by Mr. A. Duncan, and the Tenor Obligato by Rev. J. A. Koffend. Then as the measured notes of the organ came in solemn splendor, one could fairly hear the tread of feet along the Via Della Rosa and the Choir took up the refrain "They took Jesus and Led Him Away." Then "The Cross on the Hill" stood out starkly in all its pathos as the altos sang the beautiful "Could Messiah Die?" followed by "There is a Green Hill far Away", a two-part men's chorus.

The "Promise" comes in a duet, "The Darkness will be lifted," by Miss Sager and Mrs. Meiklejohn, after which came the triumphant Chorus, "Now is Christ Risen". Among the numbers of the Cantata none was finer than the trio "Bells of Easter Morden" taken by Mrs. R. Eggleton, Mrs. J. A. Koffend and Mrs. R. Meiklejohn, after which the choir joined in the "Day of Victory."

The Chorus then followed with, "God Over All Forever Blessed", in which Mr. J. Clute took the bass solo "Comfort One Another" and a quartet consisting of Miss Smith, Mrs. R. Eggleton, Mr. W. Dermedy and Mr. R. Eggleton sang "O Death with Thy Garments of Sorrow." As a grand finale the choir sang the "Alleluia" with an abandon of praise and triumph.

Rupture Expert Coming to Stirling, April 10th — See advt. on Page 5.

VIMY RIDGE

DANCE!

Under Auspices of Stirling Legion

COMMUNITY HALL - STIRLING

Monday, April 9th

Round and Square Dancing

Cafeteria Lunch

Admission 25 Cents Each

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Disbrowe are spending a few days in Toronto.

Mr. Thos. Furnival, of Toronto, visited friends here over the week-end.

Mrs Albert Hammond spent Saturday with Mrs. Jackson Moore, Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Eggleton were Sunday guests of Mrs. W. Blakely, Madoc.

Mr. Gerald Clute is spending this week with relatives and friends in Toronto.

Dr. F. Lewis, of Toronto, visited at the home of Mrs. Agnes Conley over the week-end.

Mr. Roy Woodbeck and Mr. Ken Sargeant spent Saturday and Sunday in Toronto.

Mr. Fred Devolin, Toronto, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Roy Eggleton on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lovibond were Sunday guests of the former's parents, at Ivanhoe.

Mr. Gerald Craven, of the Royal Bank staff, visited friends in Brantford Good Friday.

H. S. Prin. and Mrs. R. G. Lawlor are visiting relatives and friends in Toronto this week.

Misses Amy and Helen McTaggart, of Thomasburg, are visiting Mrs. T. Matthews this week.

Mr. Albert Hammond returned home on Sunday after spending a few days in Montreal.

Mrs. Wm. Fitchett was the week-end guest of her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Strickland, Toronto.

Miss Dorothy White, of Toronto, was the week-end guest of her aunt, Mrs. Stanley Vandervoort.

Miss Mary Hagerman, of West Huntingdon spent Sunday the guest of Miss Helen Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Murray, of Foxboro were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wells.

Miss Marion Bailey had her tonsils removed at the office of Dr. Pedley on Friday morning.

Mrs. M. Murphy, of Toronto, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reid.

Mr. Don Haggerty, of the Montreal Bank staff, Brampton, spent the week-end with friends here.

Misses K. Mundy and Alice Calow, of the S.H.S. staff, are spending the Easter holidays in Toronto.

Mrs. Clayton Tucker of Belleville is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Weaver.

Mr. Clinton McGee, of Marmora, was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McGee.

Miss Alice O'Donnell, of Toronto, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. O'Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Powell and daughter Pearl, of Frankford, were Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Walt.

Mrs. M. Burch, Oak Lake, and Miss Betty Burch, of the S.H.S. staff, are spending the Easter holidays in Toronto.

Mrs. Jack Masters and family, of Peterboro had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Woodbeck on Tuesday night.

Mr. Ross Richardson, of Flinton, is spending the Easter holidays with his mother, Mrs. A. Richardson, River Valley.

Mr. Ivan Martin, of Queen's University, Kingston, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fenn and family, of Toronto, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. Thos. Montgomery Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bissonnette, of Toronto, were week-end guests of the former's mother, Mrs. J. D. Bissonnette.

Miss Helen Jones, Corbyville, is spending the Easter holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones.

Miss Evelyn West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. West, had her tonsils removed on Monday at the office of Dr. Demorest.

Miss Peggy Armour, of Perth, who has just returned from touring Europe for the past five months, visited Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Alger on Tuesday and Wednesday. Miss Armour was the guest of Mrs. John Villetorte (nee Dorothy Alger) while in France.

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FIREMEN ANSWER CALL

About 11.30 this morning, the firemen were summoned to Mr. Archie McGee's home on the street going north of the Presbyterian shed. The roof was on fire, but a few minutes after the water was turned on, the blaze was extinguished, with little damage. Fortunately the fire, which is thought to have been caused from a spark from the chimney lighting on the shingles, was observed as soon as it was, and that there was such a strong water pressure. The force of the water was so great that the shingles were "blown off". Mr. Lloyd Dafoe occupies the house along with Mr. McGee.

PUBLIC LIBRARY REPORT FOR MARCH

	Adult	Juv.
Magazines and Periodicals	148	
Philosophy	11	
Religion	36	
Sociology	9	3
Natural Science	6	39
Useful Arts	9	4
Fine Arts	21	1
Literature	26	11
History	46	21
Travel	71	6
Biography	40	3
Fiction	751	197
Total	1174	285

Grand Total — 1459.

Increase over March 1933—339.

The high and low records for Feb. and Mar. are: Feb. 24th 163, high; Feb. 27th, 30, low; Mar. 31st, 159, high; Mar. 15th, 20, low (big storm that day). Desk receipts for March —fines, cards, reservations and memberships, $11.33.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Vimy Service 11 a.m., under auspices of Canadian Legion. Stirling Band will assist at the service. 32-1

"CALLUSES SO BAD used Cane." Cress Salve only remedy that could banish them forever. At Butler's Drug Store.

STIRLING LEGION NOTES

VETERANS! SHUN!

All veterans are invited to meet at the Legion Club Rooms at 10.30 a.m. on Sunday morning, April 8th, for parade to the Anglican Church. Stirling Band in attendance.

ENTERPRISE CHEESE CO.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Enterprise Cheese Co. will be held at the factory on Tuesday, April 10th, at 8 p.m.

B. C. Tucker, Sec. M Roy, Pres. 32-1

INSURANCE SERVICE

I am in a position to offer you Insurance in all its Branches. Special low rates for automobiles to farmers. Arthur Wilson, Phone 151r2, Stirling. 32-3p

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COMING EVENTS

3-ACT COMEDY, "THE NEST EGG" In aid of the Stirling Public Library, directed by Jerry Clute, Stirling Theatre, Tuesday, April 17th. Dance after the show. Music by C. Allen and Commodores. 32-2

Classified Advertisements

FOR RENT—Five-roomed flat with modern conveniences. Apply to T. Cranston, Stirling 12-tf

WANTED — Work of any kind. Apply to Wilfred Graver, Stirling. 32-1

FOR SALE — Quantity of Seed Oats, apply to James Reynolds, Minto. 32-1p

FOR SALE — 1 Incubator, 1 Brooder House, $15.00 each. Apply to Lester D. Hay, Stirling, Ont. 32-1p

FOR SALE — Quantity of Red Clover Seed and Timothy Seed; also Red Clover Hay. George Heasman, R.R. No. 4, Stirling. 32-1p

FOR SALE — Hay and Red Clover Seed. Geo. Belshaw, phone 187, Stirling. 32-1

FOR SALE — Stack of Alfalfa Hay; also quantity of Oats. Apply to Ewart S. Bailey, Stirling, Ont. 32-1p

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Thursday, April 5th, 1934

CURRENT COMMENT

Prophets predict a short summer season this year — and we predict the same in feminine bathing suits.

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Spring is here — the days are growing longer — now for the budding of the leaves and the greening of the grass.

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Motorists have you secured your new license plates? Better not take "Lizzie" out until you do or you will be hailed into court.

—x—x—x—

There are people who seem to put little value on money — so much that they don't mind using someone else's — and they even think you shouldn't object to lending them yours.

—x—x—x—

The Easter parade was curtailed somewhat, due to the cloudy weather. However, it was not completely spoiled — there were some new outfits in Stirling on display by milady.

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Welcome April, the reputed month of showers and May flowers. We have wondered why they call them "May" flowers when they bloom the month previous. Who can enlighten us on this?

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The roadway between the bridge at the dam and Front Street has been dangerous to vehicle drivers. A guard rail should be erected along the east side before a car slips off into the pond.

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Now that the Provincial parliament has closed its anything but lively session, the newspapers will be filled with the coming election propaganda, slams and everything esle pertaining to such an event.

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"Stop the short-cuts". During the winter many "short-cuts" across lawns and boulevards were made. Now that the snow has disappeared, residents are urged to stop this habit. "Keep off the grass" is now the proper slogan to observe.

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Another new highway is to be built from Toronto to Allandale. What does this mean? A bid for votes? If the department of highways would spend money to make some of its present system permanent, it would look like better business. What about paving the highways out of Stirling first?

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Cheese factories will re-open for the season during this month. If cheese would only open at 14c per lb. it would mean great happiness to the farmer. May the new Federal Marketing Board put money in the producer's pocket. If it does this, then its establishment will be worth while.

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We noticed in the New Outlook, a United Church publication, where a writer states that the C.C.F. program is the only one offering a remedy for the conditions which brought on the depression. We wonder what program the scribe means. Is it the one the C.C.F. started with, or what's left of it?

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The beer vote will no doubt put some of the members in an embarassing position with their constituents. The new beer law will not become effective until after the provincial election. It seems to be a case of the government making out the "bill of sale", but failed to sign it, unless re-elected. Will it win their objective?

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That the efforts put forth by the members of Stirling Band to develop a live organization, are appreciated by residents of the district, was shown by the large attendance at the Band dance on Monday night. Not only that, but the Council gave this organization a grant of $10.00 about it merchants? If it is feasible a move should be of appreciation.

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What about the searchlight on top of the waterworks standpipe, as suggested last year by a rural subscriber. It will soon be open night season, and if the light were flashed on these nights it would remind rural shoppers that they could purchase their desires in Stirling. What about it merchants? It is feasible. A move should be made for its installation.

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There are some residents under the impression that the Council is responsible for keeping the ditch open, behind the business places on the north side of Mill St. The recent floods in this section no doubt raised this point. The only section of this water course that the Corporation is directly responsible for is under the street and roadway. The rest must be kept open by the property owners effected by the drain.

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In motoring through the countryside one if often curious to know who is the owner of a particular farm. You may pass the property occasionally for years and never know who lives there. Then one day you accidentally discover that the owner is a man you knew and met occasionally. Too bad you have not been able to link him up in your mind all this time with the fine farm he owns. One would think that pride of ownership in a well-kept property would stimulate the owner to let the world know who lives there. But too often there is no sign on the gate, or the mail box to indicate the name of the occupant.

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You hear it said that people do not go to church like they used to. Maybe not, but they do fairly well in Stirling anyway. Large congregations attended the local churches on Easter Sunday when the holy season brought forth from pulpits messages of the Resurrection applicable to everyday living, and combined with the messages of music rendered by the various choirs, added to the day and the season the joy that is the spirit of Eastertide. We are also informed that the rural churches were also well filled. May this condition prevail in the village and district every remaining Sunday of this year. You need the churches and the churches need you.

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Dog Tags to be Free

We noticed in the minutes of a special meeting of the Village Council read at Monday night's session of the Village Fathers, where a resolution was passed to the effect that the Assessor is to deliver dog tags to dog owners free of charge this year. In the past a charge of twenty-five cents was made, which was most unfair, particularly when the fee collected was not turned into the village coffer. The tax to be paid was enough without having to pay extra for the compulsory tag. The elimination of this unjust "tag buying" is another good move by the Council.

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"Short Term" Business Places

At Monday night's Council meeting Councillor [illegible] kitt brought up a question that should be thorou[illegible] vestigated. It was in regard to "fly-by-night" [illegible] men — that is men who start after the assessor [illegible] his rounds, and then close up in the fall. The re[illegible] they escape a business tax. In other words they [illegible] on a bona-fide merchant or business man — who [illegible] taxes — and lap up some of the cream of business during the time of year when there is little overhead cost, and then fold up, leaving the municipality holding the bag, as far as a business tax. The Council should pass a by-law to the effect that all such short-termed business places pay a tax before the person is permitted to open up for trade. This would be only fair to business places operating the year round.

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The Average Mental Age Raised

The discovery has been announced that the average mental age of the Canadian people is nearer 17 than 12. That is encouraging. It seems that some of the psychologists who were making mental tests of recruits during the war put on a decimal point in the wrong place, or something like that, and spread the idea that we were a nation of infants. Now they are trying to correct that mistake. Without poking too much fun at these psychologists, for there is really a great deal to be said in favor of their work, we are glad that they have found out what we have always believed. That is that most people have reached their full powers of reasoning and learning by the time they are 17 or so. What this country will be like twenty years from now depends, literally, upon what impressions the "youngsters" who are now between 1[illegible] and 25 get from their contacts with their elders in the next two or three years.

What Others Say

LEGISLATIVE PROBES POOR LIBERAL ASSETS

(Huntsville Forester)

Partisan majorities on the Public Accounts Committee have disposed of the McCaughrin case and that of Gunning, more recently charged by a Liberal member with corrupt practices in highway construction work. Both cases have shown considerable "back-fire". It is quite evident that no political advantage has come to the Liberals in either case. Whether this has been due to poor generalship or weak effort at the probe, public opinion must be the judge.

The manner of launching the McCaughrin case lacked ordinary foresight. It was a weak effort, impulsively inspired with high political hopes, but without any attempt to probe the possibilities of repercussions. Public records of precedents were accessible. Their consultation would have subdued the ardent character of partizan enthusiasm, and held in check the impulsive desire to use the case for political ends. In its final analysis, it has reacted to the disadvantage of the party it was designed to aid — and all through poor generalship.

The Gunning case was even worse. The hearing disclosed that the basis of the charges of corruption was ill-feeling between two neighbours, one of whom was determined to "get" the other. Irregularity in records was disclosed, but the charges of defrauding the public treasury were not proved. It was another case of "going off half cocked", and has brought little or no political advantage to the Liberal party.

Those Liberals who have watched the general trend of events during the present session, have felt an honest conviction that the change in party generalship has shown little evidence of increased party strength.

POST OFFICE SERVICE IN TOWNS

(Whitby Gazette and Chronicle)

For some time the question has been discussed why towns and villages should be singled out and made to pay for post office service, while residents in the rural districts and the cities get mail delivered to their door free of charge, and we notice where Seaforth town council has petitioned the federal government to remove this discrimination.

The trouble is that townspeople not only have to go to the post office t[illegible] get their mail, but they also have t[illegible] pay rental for a box to put it i[illegible] though the convenience of boxes [illegible] just as great an aid to the post offi[illegible] staff as it is to the patrons. An[illegible] on top of this, we have to pay o[illegible] share toward the delivery of mail [illegible] the cities and townships. In oth[illegible] words, they "get" us both coming a[illegible] going. Of course, it would mean [illegible] large increase in expenditure for t[illegible] post office department to deliv[illegible] mail to everybody's door all ov[illegible] Canada, but this argument doesn't [illegible] ter the fact that they are doing [illegible] for two large bodies of people no[illegible] though denying this service to t[illegible] third class. In the opinion of th[illegible] paper it is time the towns joined [illegible] a united protest against the discri[illegible] ination thus shown. The principle [illegible] mail delivery had been adopted a[illegible] should be extended to include [illegible] classes. A start should be made [illegible] extending the service until it is u[illegible] formly carried out. But towns w[illegible] never got it until they make th[illegible] voices heard, and of course, until [illegible] homes are numbered as they shou[illegible] have been long ago in Whitby.

CLASSIFIED ADS PAY

RAWDON COUNCIL

Rawdon Town Hall,
Monday, April 2nd, 1934

Rawdon Township Council met on the above date with all members present.

Moved by Mr. Bedford and seconded by Mr. Shortt that the minutes as read be adopted. Cd.

Moved by Clancy and seconded by Carr that Mr. Chas. McMaster be given permission to build a fence across a road allowance. Cd.

Shortt and Carr that Mr. J. W. Haggerty, County Treasurer, be paid $3.50 hospital bill for Mr. Samuel Redcliffe. Cd.

Bedford and Shortt that $1.00 be paid Reg. McKeown for 2 bulbs. Cd.

Shortt and Clancy that Clerk be instructed to investigate into fixing of a switch for the street lights. Cd.

Shortt and Bedford that Rillis Herrington be paid $5.00 for a cord of wood for Mrs. L. Wilson.

Bedford and Shortt that telephone switching charges re James Booth estate be given to Mr. Montgomery and Mr. Hughes be notified. Cd.

Clancy and Shortt that Murray Meiklejohn be paid $27.80 for gravel for the 7th concession. Cd.

Shortt and Clancy that the assessment roll be accepted and the assessors be paid $40.00 each. Cd.

Bedford and Carr that Marmora be sent $12.00 for 1933 Court costs, thus covering Rawdon's share. Cd.

Clancy and Shortt that $5.48 be paid Mr. Thos. Prest for lumber and business in connection with road job. Cd.

Shortt and Clancy that Wilfred Johnston be refunded $6.00 commutation on Satute Labour. Cd.

Clancy and Bedford that permission be given to Francis Jeffrey to do 2 days road work which was in question. Cd.

Bedford and Carr that the Collector be paid $185.00 salary and $35.00 for extra work, stamps and exchange.

Shortt and Carr that the Collector's time be extended until the next meeting. Carried.

Clancy and Shortt that the Council go into a committee on by-laws. Cd.

A By-law No. 582 was passed in regular order appointing Road-Masters, Poundkeepers and Fence-viewers for 1934.

Bedford and Carr that Council resume general business. Cd.

Clancy and Carr that $2.00 be granted to fix Station Road at Stirling providing Stirling Council also granted. Cd.

The following accounts were duly passed and ordered paid:

Cornelius Sine, gravel	35.00
John McMullen, wood for Clarence Reid	5.00
Reg. McKeown, bulbs	1.00
Rillis Herrington, wood for Mrs. L. Wilson	5.00
Murray Meiklejohn, gravel ...	27.80
Carman Fitchett, assessor ...	40.00
Allen B. McComb, assessor ..	40.00
Chas. Bleeker, Rawdon's share Marmora Court Costs	12.00
Thos. Prest, lumber, etc., on road job	5.48
Wilfred Johnston, commutation on Statute Labour ...	6.00
David Cotten, salary, exchange, stamps and extra work	220.00

Clancy and Carr that Council adjourn to meet on Monday, 28th day of May, at 10 o'clock, a.m., which will be Court of Revision.

Lorne C. Bateman, Clerk

BORN

HANNAH — In Belleville, on Sunday April 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hannah, nee Bertha Cranston, a son.

WELLMANS

Mr. Victor Graham, of Harwood, Ontario, has leased Mr. T. E. McCaughan's General store here and opened for business last week.

REPORT OF S.S. NO. 7 — RAWDON FOURTH LINE

Senior Fourth — Vera Ketcheson 84, Alice Morrison 59.

Junior Fourth — Muriel Welbourn 86, Douglas Richardson 82, Roy Bateman 73, Verna Sutherland 72, Marjorie Richardson 60.

Senior Third — Mildred Morrison 70, Elwood Ketcheson 68.

Junior Third — Phyllis Vance 75, Helen Fitchett 74.

Senior Second — Mary Morrison 69.

To Junior Second — Dorothy Gay 84.

Sr. First — J. J. Ackers 89, Vincent Ryan 85, Gordon Richardson 85, Marie Ketcheson 79.

To Junior First — Marie Gay 89, Donald Drewry 84, Lucy Morrison 67.

Senior Primer — Helen Ryan.

Junior Primer — Douglas Ackers.

(Mrs.) Mabel Hayton, Teacher

RIDGE ROAD SCHOOL REPORT

Sr. IV.—Ralph Richardson 73.3, Elmer West 65, Gordon Burrell 64.8, Herbie McCrory 56.4.

Jr. IV. — Lillian Matthews, 64.1.

Sr. III. — Marjorie West 75, Rayburn Wood 66.

Jr. III. — Kathleen Burrell 72, Harry Bennett 65.7, Madeline McGee 60.

Sr. II. — Malcolm Richardson 78, Bernice Reid 75, Frank Rodgers 60.

Jr. II. — Marjorie Hammond 59, Clinton Heath 51.

Sr. I. — Alex McCurdy 77, Mary Louise Lanigan 77, Dorothy West 74, Bobbie Cosbey 71, Marion Hammond 57.

Sr. Pr. — Meighen Rodgers Hon.

(Figures denote Percentages)

Charlotte Lanigan, Teacher

Twenty Years Ago

(Issue April 9th, 1914)

Hoards

Mr. George Hoard has resigned as foreman on the railroad section and Mr. Alex. Donald of Port Hope is taking his place. Mr. Donald and family will reside in Hoards.

Lottie Williams will leave for Harris, Sask., on Wednesday where she has a position as teacher.

Andrew Haig left this week for Warkworth where he will spend the summer.

The annual business meeting of the Ladies' Aid was held at Mrs. John Younger's on April 1st. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. A. H. Parr; Vice Pres., Mrs. John Parks; Sec., Mrs. Arthur Sharpe; Treas., Miss Alex Hoard.

West Huntingdon

Mrs. Ed. Pitman is spending Easter with friends in Campbellford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Urban took the 4 a.m. train at Ivanhoe on Tuesday for their new home at Walkerville.

Harold Ashley left on Saturday for Vancouver, B.C., where he is engaged in Banking, after spending a month visiting his parents and friends here.

Local and General

Property transfer — Earl Luery has purchased the Denike cottage just beyond his father's residence, which has been occupied by Mrs. and Miss Mitchell for some time. Mr. Luery will enlarge and repair the building and occupy it as quickly as possible.

On Tuesday at the home of the bride's mother, Wellington Hagerman was united in marriage to Mrs. Fair.

On Monday evening a large number of friends and neighbours of G. Hagerman and wife assembled at their home in Anson, to bid them farewell on their removal to their new home here in the village. During the evening an address was read and as a slight remembrance of the many years of neighbourly connection, handsome easy chairs were presented to both Mr. and Mrs. Hagerman, with kind wishes for their future. On Tuesday the respected couple moved into the Moore residence on Front street which Mr. Hagerman purchased last fall, resigning the care of their farm to their son, Wellington.

Springbrook

R. J. Moore's dwelling caught fire last Friday and was totally destroyed. The fire had made such headway before discovered that it was impossible to save it. Everything upstairs was a total loss. Everything below stairs was saved, but some of it was damaged by hard handling. It is not known how the fire originated. Building and contents were insured for $900.00.

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

Southbound

1.10 p.m., Tues. Thurs., Fri. and Sat. (Too late for last week)

Stirling

Mail and Express (Going East) — 10.08 p.m.

Mail and Express (Going West) — 6.46 a.m.

Madoc Junction

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Leave Madoc Junction for Belleville —3.55 p.m., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

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Static by the Editor

Doubtful

"Are you sure this is the man who stole your car?"

"I was until your cross-examination. Now I don't know if I ever owned a car."

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No Pay Attached

Jimmy was pushing the baby sister's perambulator down the street. "Hey, Jimmy," called his buddy, "do you get paid for that?"

"Naw" said Jimmy disgustedly, "this is a free wheeling job."

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Marked Men

"Married men out to wear something to indicate plainly that they are married," says a novelist. They generally do — the suit they bought the year before last.

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He Was Willing

Doctor—"Now, before I examine you, may I ask what you drink?"

Patient—"Thank you, doctor. A small whiskey and soda for me."

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Some Look

"Go after business," sounds like good advice, until you remember where business has gone.

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Working on Commission

After terrific struggles, the freshman finally finished his examination paper, looked it sadly over, and then, at the end, wrote:

"Dear Professor: If you sell any of my answers to the funny papers, I expect you to split fifty-fifty with me."

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Best Odds

A bookmaker, who was ill, sent his small son to tell a certain doctor to call. A different doctor having arrived, the bookmaker afterward asked his son to explain.

"Well, you see, dad," he said, "there were a lot of brass plates on the doors, and when I got the number you gave me, I saw 'Consultations 11 to 12.' The chap next door was offering 'Consultations, 10 to 1,' so I knew you'd like the one that gave you the best odds."

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No Heeler

A housewife, trying to call up the shoemaker, received the wrong number and got a local minister instead. "Can you fix the heel of my shoe?" she required.

"Madam," came back the answer, "I only work on souls," and up went the receiver.

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No Bad News

Doctor—"I'm sorry to tell you, my man, that you will never be able to work again."

Patient — "Lor'lumme, doctor — why sorry?"

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Defined

Teacher: "Johnny, tell me the definition of the word 'widow'."

Johnny: "A widow is a woman that lived so long with her husband that he died."

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Solid Colour

Miss Sophia Petunia Jones tripped into a lawyer's office.

"Can't Ah sue dat no 'count Rastus Smith fo' somepin, mister?" she asked. "He promised to marry me, dat he did, an' yistiddy he done 'loped with another gal."

"Promised to marry you, eh?" mused the lawyer. "Well, have you anything in black and white to show for it?"

"No, suh," replied Sophia. "Jes black."

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Determined to Know

"Why are you going to the public library, Mrs. Brown? Suddenly taken up science?"

"The doctor told my husband he was bibulous, and now he has torn the page out of the dictionary."

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"What did you hear at the show last Friday?"

"All sorts of things. Smith is going bankrupt. Mrs. Brown has dyed hair, and the Whites are having a divorce."

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Athletic G

Small Boy: "Gra
are you going to st
ball?"

Grandmother: "Why sonny, I
play football. Why?"

Small Boy: "Well, papa say
going to buy a new car as
you kick off."

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A Job At Last

A weary-looking fellow
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happened to see a hug
vertisement headed:

"Murderer Wanted".

"Well, he said, scra
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Bluenose: "Pardon
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Flapper: "My gosh, some of you guys ain't never satisfied."

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Fast Work

The meek little man was walking home from the funeral of his big, masterful wife. Suddenly a roofing tile fell and struck him on the head.

"Gosh," he said, "Sarah has arrived in heaven already."

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION

About two weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harlow gave a very delightful party to a number of friends and neighbours in honour of a newly married couple, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dawler, (nee Miss Lila Jewell, of Roseneath). The young couple arrived about 10.30 and were greeted with a rousing chivaree, after which lunch was served and cards and dancing were enjoyed until a late hour. Mrs. Dawler spent two or three months in our midst about two years ago, and in her pleasant and quiet way endeared herself to all who chanced to make her acquaintance. Some had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Dawlor last fall when he was visiting here. So we thought it would be a fitting time to show our esteem for them by presenting them with a matching fernery and stand; also a linen table cloth.

On Friday evening, March 23rd, the same crowd who were invited before gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harlow where Mr. and Mrs. Dawler have been spending their honeymoon. Messrs Murn Stapley and Bill Burns made the presentation and Mr. Milton Reid read the following address:

Oak Hills, March 23rd, 1934

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dawler,—

Once again come the Oak Hill gang,
A little more sedately to meet you.
The last time we came with a bang,
A chivaree party to greet you.
We had such a good time before,
And surprised you so neatly,
We thought we'd come once more,
To do the job up completely.
You have started on the matrimonial sea,
And headed for home,
So a bit of advice this will be,
Though it's not very much of a poem.
Lewis, one lesson you must bear in mind,
Be very gentle with your own,
Be to her faults a little blind,
Nor wound her with a look or tone.
Put self behind, turn tender eyes,
Keep back the words that hurt and sting,
We learn, when sorrow makes us wise,
Forbearance is the kindest thing.
Lila—if you know your husband's failings
Just forget them, because you know
That your husband has some good points,
There the ones you want to show.
"Cast your loaves out on the water
They come back", is a saying true,
Maybe they will come back "buttered"
If your husband boosts for you.
Both of you please remember,
This recipe for a "Happy Life".
A heartful of love, a headful of wit,
Two handfuls of work, of temper a bit,
Patience according to judgment and needs,
Season with laughter and stir with good deeds.

Will you accept these gifts with our compliments and good wishes for a long and happy life together, and let us add, may all your troubles be little ones.

Signed — The Oak Hill Gang.

Whereupon Mr. Reid produced a baby's comfort, and after reading its good qualities on the box, duly presented it to the newly-weds, amid much laughter and merriment. Although taken completely by surprise both Mr. and Mrs. Dawler thanked their friends for the gifts and invited one and all to visit them in their home should they ever chance to be in Roseneath.

The evening was spent in friendly ...rds and dancing. About ...he ladies served lunch ...ned in voting Mr. and Mrs. ...n ideal host and hostess, were thanked for their kindness by a hearty hand-clap. After bidding good-bye to Mr. and Mrs. Dawler, the party broke up at a late hour. Mr. and Mrs. Dawler left on Saturday for their home near Roseneath.

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IRLING HIGH SCHOOL REPORT

ollowing are the results of the March examinations in Stirling High ol.

FORM ONE

	Agriculture	Art	Br. Hist.	Geography	Algebra	Latin	French	Literature	Spelling	Composition
Baker, Harold	—	—	—	—	94	—	—	—	—	—
Bateman, John	35	55	42	47	26	2	14	39	85	46
Bird, Kenneth	—	—	—	—	97	—	—	—	—	—
Butler, Frank	73	50	59	80	87	69	69	58	85	69
Carr, Elvin	74	60	76	73	89	57	68	68	90	38
Carr, Leah	56	70	64	65	100	71	74	61	100	64
Clements, May	59	50	43	42	88	33	58	51	100	67
Detlor, Neva	80	50	62	64	59	30	62	69	85	60
Faulkner, Clarence	62	50	54	59	47	28	31	62	85	51
Finkle, Allyn	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	55	—	—
Fitzpatrick, Marie	50	70	31	52	61	37	43	55	75	57
Forsyth, John	53	50	39	52	22	14	47	46	85	30
Green, Gordon	70	55	83	75	53	73	53	68	90	63
Heath, Lola	83	60	73	73	92	51	54	74	70	63
Holmes, Clifford	96	—	a	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lake, Mable	66	80	74	53	94	96	65	63	90	51
Luery, Marie	41	60	39	60	38	31	38	48	80	52
Mathison, Hilma	73	85	59	57	72	59	49	64	95	69
Merriam, Rupert	63	50	53	50	92	27	31	48	50	46
Morrison, Nellie	80	50	76	79	100	60	56	66	95	61
Morrow, Helen	82	70	88	76	100	93	81	74	90	70
Morton, Bill	53	55	64	70	82	68	61	69	55	73
Munro, Jean	—	—	—	—	95	—	—	—	—	—
Munro, John	60	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
McGowan, Stewart	—	—	—	—	39	—	—	—	—	—
Ormiston, Jack	—	—	—	—	—	—	90	—	—	—
Richardson, Marion	87	60	66	70	100	85	78	70	100	79
Rowland, Lloyd	64	50	73	77	62	51	36	87	80	79
Robinson, Basil	—	—	—	—	84	—	—	—	—	—
Scott, Ross	85	50	73	65	72	69	46	62	80	52
Shore, Thelma	50	55	34	50	34	35	58	77	80	62
Sheridan, Rita	—	—	—	51	61	—	—	—	—	44
Stapley, Donald	71	70	76	77	58	58	66	87	100	61
Taugher, Georgia	76	70	76	68	68	71	58	73	100	69
Thompson, Clayton	75	60	72	73	85	38	52	67	65	55
Tucker, Irene	78	70	67	80	85	84	78	68	65	77
Wannamaker, Ruby	68	60	66	77	98	45	62	52	95	49
Ward, Helen	—	—	79	—	100	—	—	—	—	—
Wood, Irene	73	70	78	72	47	67	81	76	100	68
Wood, Jack	74	50	54	83	99	87	62	54	95	60
Woodbeck, Russell	—	—	—	—	89	—	—	—	—	—
West, Clarence	56	50	62	58	41	46	53	77	80	58
Wright, Murney	—	—	20	—	14	—	14	a	50	—
Williams, Grace	65	55	8[illegible]	45	48	50	50	65	70	54

FORM TWO

	Ag[illegible]	[illegible]	Arith.	Physiog.	French	Latin	Geom.	Literature	Composition
Baker, Harold	—	1[illegible]	74	54	23	—	6	58	56
Bird, Kenneth	—	6[illegible]	48	77	75	40	38	76	54
Brown, Margaret	79	67	44	36	63	68	26	69	60
Campbell, Ralph	91	82	95	97	94	90	99	89	78
Craig, Mary	91	81	75	89	82	47	40	78	72
Donald, Jean	89	70	64	68	83	75	90	70	74
Finkle, Allyn	53	39	74	47	54	—	39	35	53
Hagerman, Nellie	67	59	50	61	48	33	14	79	71
Jackman, Pauline	84	58	79	64	73	40	30	83	74
Johnston, Lorne	91	76	67	78	85	95	86	83	71
Juby, Roy	84	50	71	77	70	52	79	65	67
Ketcheson, Thelma	71	59	94	66	63	42	60	76	69
McDonnell, Arthur	61	61	81	50	62	33	52	70	50
Mumby, Carl	80	50	87	78	52	22	69	66	74
McGowan, Stewart	—	18	41	66	—	—	10	45	57
Munro, Jean	—	37	45	67	36	20	27	69	65
Munro, Olive	70	54	52	51	51	19	42	61	66
Ormiston, Jack	—	—	—	—	—	51	—	—	—
Robinson, Basil	—	[illegible]7	64	50	30	32	34	50	51
Rosebush, Marguerite	—	—	74	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stapley, Keitha	79	[illegible]2	94	60	67	65	46	62	65
Stapley, Pearl	81	[illegible]9	86	—	73	50	ab	78	70
Stewart, Olive	87	[illegible]5	86	76	80	72	70	78	67
Sutherland, Ella	66	[illegible]9	66	64	76	57	56	79	66
Tucker, Laura	81	[illegible]5	75	81	63	50	71	77	67
Ward, Helen	—	[illegible]0	—	—	42	35	12	62	56
Ward, James	—	[illegible]6	—	—	74	—	—	—	—
West, Harold	56	[illegible]8	86	50	42	30	31	44	53
Woodbeck, Russell	—	[illegible]8	74	51	34	—	36	56	64

FORM THREE

	Alg[illegible]	Agr. I.	Eng. Lit.	Eng. Comp.	Can. Hist.	Latin	French	German
Bailey, Marion	—	50	65	63	85	34	59	—
Bailey, Ross	10[illegible]	75	65	59	81	68	77	—
Bateman, Margaret	3[illegible]	50	63	58	76	59	59	—
Bedford, Tom	6[illegible]	61	55	56	71	52	70	73
Bray, Ruby	3[illegible]	44	56	59	43	54	72	—
Brooks, Roy	6[illegible]	45	39	58	57	—	—	—
Cooke, Margaret	4[illegible]	66	64	62	a	59	82	—
Duffin, George	—	59	22	54	41	15	—	—
Fleming, Grace	7[illegible]	69	68	73	67	72	81	76
Heath, Marie	—	—	43	—	—	—	—	—
Holmes, Clifford	—	98	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irvine, Charles	—	—	45	—	56	—	—	—
Jackman, Desmond	5[illegible]	68	52	54	75	48	55	—
Johnston, James	6[illegible]	—	51	47	77	51	53	—
Jones, Robert	6[illegible]	55	62	50	81	25	46	—
Lancaster, Douglas	2[illegible]	43	a	58	50	36	45	—
Luery, Madeleine	—	—	—	—	40	42	—	—
McQuigge, Essie	—	—	—	—	79	—	—	—
Mallory, Evelyn	9[illegible]	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Martin, Ruth	6[illegible]	72	80	75	83	73	82	67
Mitchell, Phyllis	3[illegible]	68	82	82	75	55	83	76
Morton, Burton	—	—	57	56	—	—	—	—
Ormiston, Jack	—	—	50	47	73	—	—	—
Rosebush, Marguerite	2[illegible]	33	61	68	61	—	70	—
Stewart, Donalda	6[illegible]	79	73	75	86	80	83	—
Shea, Pauline	3[illegible]	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Thompson, Wendell	10[illegible]	90	73	78	90	81	91	86
Ward, James	5[illegible]	52	35	—	—	—	58	—
Wood, Lillian	6[illegible]	59	47	57	71	40	55	—
Fitzgerald, Howard	1[illegible]	—	39	—	—	—	51	—
Mathison, Reg.	5[illegible]	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Williams, Ray	3[illegible]	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

FORM FOUR

	Agr. II.	Lat. Auth.	Lat. Comp.	Fr. Auth.	Fr. Comp.	Geom.	Anc. Hist.
Crawford, Mary	50	—	—	—	—	—	82
Fox, Colin	—	61	36	41	16	—	—
Hanna, Alta	65	66	64	50	62	48	78
Heath, Marie	39	55	47	35	54	—	38
Irvine, Charles	50	—	—	46	57	—	43
Luery, Madeleine	—	—	—	—	—	5	53
Fitzgerald, Howard	23	63	25	—	—	58	78
McMullen, Helen	67	60	63	59	65	48	83
Mason, Laura	58	68	76	—	—	71	89
Mathison, Reginald	50	59	45	57	49	78	62
Morton, Burton	—	—	—	45	61	—	77
Reid, Dorothy	66	67	76	61	69	62	84
Rodgers, Aubrey	—	—	—	—	—	—	87
Rodgers, Donald	67	—	—	58	48	37	72
Sager, Jack	63	74	74	63	57	52	77
Shea, Pauline	—	53	55	56	68	50	74
Snowden, Francis	81	66	69	54	67	84	85
Sprentall, Gerald	63	77	74	71	66	38	73
Stapley, Ruby	56	61	64	52	59	73	61
Sutherland, William	—	56	—	65	60	—	—
Turner, Isobel	35	34	42	49	43	61	43
Ward, Lenora	36	38	—	41	41	62	44
Williams, Ray	51	66	—	53	50	34	80
Wright, Monna	57	56	48	53	67	66	78

FORM FIVE

	Eng. Lit.	Eng. Comp.	Alg.	Geom.	Trig.	Botany	Zoology	Physics	Mod. Hist.	Lat. Auth.	Lat. Comp.	Fr. Auth.	Fr. Comp.
Crawford, Mary	69	72	—	—	—	—	—	—	72	—	—	—	—
Craig, Margaret	77	73	100	100	97	—	—	—	87	84	82	75	77
Fox, Colin	43	57	—	—	—	54	36	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gould, Arthur	—	—	—	—	—	84	—	46	70	—	—	—	—
Hanna, Alta	57	51	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heath, Marie	—	44	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Holmes, Clifford	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	43
Irvine, Charles	—	51	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Joblin, Fred	—	—	85	—	—	83	75	—	—	68	67	61	46
Leury, Madeleine	48	58	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
McGee, Betty	44	52	47	55	—	—	—	—	—	51	50	46	43
McKeown, Marjorie	—	58	—	—	—	—	—	—	64	59	—	—	52
McMullen, Helen	62	58	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
McQuigge, Essie	45	52	—	—	33	—	—	—	64	—	—	45	34
Mallory, Evelyn	—	—	—	82	50	75	80	—	58	—	—	64	61
Mason, Laura	50	57	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mathison, Reginald	44	48	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Merriam, Eva	56	61	47	38	25	57	75	38	50	—	—	—	—
Munro, John	54	—	—	81	65	—	—	—	55	69	55	67	53
Polk, Marguerite	—	—	—	59	51	—	—	—	54	70	64	62	61
Reid, Dorothy	56	64	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Richardson, Donalda	78	78	100	100	100	—	—	—	85	88	91	86	87
Rodgers, Aubrey	—	50	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rodgers, Donald	50	56	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sager, Jack	60	64	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shea, Pauline	57	62	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Snowdon, Francis	64	74	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sprentall, Gerald	66	70	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stapley, Kenneth	59	63	—	—	75	71	65	—	52	—	—	74	58
Stapley, Ruby	53	60	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sutherland, William	54	52	—	—	23	62	80	—	—	—	—	—	—
Thompson, Dorothea	—	50	—	88	30	—	—	—	70	62	51	51	41
Turner, Isobel	47	56	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ward, Lenora	53	51	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Williams, Ray	62	65	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wilson, Marion	55	64	—	47	42	66	65	—	65	—	—	52	47
Wright, Monna	61	59	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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BETHEL

Rev. A. E. Gibson, of Wolfville, Nova Scotia who is Secretary of the Religious Education for the Maritime Provinces spent the week-end the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elliott.

Mrs. Wanda Sine, Nama and Garth are spending the Easter vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sine.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sandercock and family, Belleville, called on Mr. and Mrs. Warren Reid on Monday afternoon.

Rev. F. G. Joblin and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Martin were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elliott.

Miss Vera Watson, Stirling, visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Thompson.

Mr. Albert Warren, P. S. Principal of Bancroft, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Warren.

Mrs. Gerald Brooks and Mae, of Consecon, and Mrs. Ken Green and Wilbur, of Rednersville, are visiting at the home of Mr. John Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Warren entertained to tea on Sunday evening the Misses Vera Wright, Mildred and Annie Elliott.

Mr. Thom Cranston, Stirling, called on Mr. and Mrs. Warren Reid one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sine visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heagle, Hoards, on Easter Sunday.

Mr. Fred Houchin is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Martin.

Mrs. Wm. Preston and Isobelle visited on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Preston.

Messrs Bill and Edwin Warren, of Kingston spent Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Warren.

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SPRINGBROOK

Mr. Jack Wiley and Miss Helen Chute, senior teacher in our school were quietly married at the home of the groom and his mother on Saturday last, Mar. 31st. The groomsman was Mr. Jack Nobes of Marmora and the bridesmaid was Miss Jeanne Robinson, of Peterboro Normal School. The happy couple left shortly after the ceremony for the home of the bride's parents in Vienna.

Quite a number from here attended the beautiful Easter service at St. Mark's new Church. The choir furnished good music as usual and wore their new surplice gowns for the first time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McConnell and Marion were guests on Easter Sunday of Mrs. T. C. MacConnell and Tom and family.

Misses Vera Ketcheson and Jean Murry and Master Willie Murray are visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. Fitzgerald.

Mr. Murney Fleming has purchased the building which Mr. Norman Ray used for a barber shop and is moving it further south on Main Street.

Messrs Tom MacConnell and Murney Ray and their families have moved to Marmora as it will be much handier for their work.

A dance was held in the Orange hall on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Orange Lodge No. 442. The attendance was not so large as usual on account of the rain storm.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burr and family of Trenton spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Forsythe.

ALLAN'S MILL

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rowe have purchased the farm of Mr. W. J. Haggerty.

Mrs. Thos. McKeown and Mrs. W. McInroy called on Mrs. H. Matthews on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Burkitt and Gladys spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. D. Wellman were Sunday visitors at Mr. Wm. Finch's.

Mrs. Annie Heath is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Anderson.

Mrs. A. Wright.

Mrs. Alex Bush, Adeline and Marjorie spent the week-end with friends here.

Mrs. W. V. MacDonald left on Friday for Dundonald where she will visit friends before starting for her home in Sask.

Mr. D. McAvoy is moving to his farm near Tweed.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wellman visited Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wellman on Good Friday.

Several of the ladies attended the W. I. meeting at the home of Mrs. Lindsay Mumby on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKeown visited at Mr. and Mrs. John Morton's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wellman spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. Wellman, at Harold.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Reid is seriously ill. Dr. Wellman is in attendance.

Mr. W. S. Stiles attended the convention in Toronto this week and visited Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and family spent the week-end with friends in Peterboro.

MOUNT PLEASANT

Mrs. Ray Cooney and Lloyd arrived home from Belleville on Thursday and we are pleased to report that Lloyd is gaining nicely from his recent operation.

Mr. Herbert Higgs of Harold has received the following letter of thanks from Mount Pleasant Sunday School.

Mount Pleasant,
March 23rd, 1934

Dear Herb,—

Having been taken by surprise upon your leaving our community, on behalf of Mount Pleasant Sunday School we wish to express to you our deepest appreciation, for your kindness in presenting to us a new hymnal.

I am sure each time we play and sing from it, we will always remember your kindness. Wishing you continued success in your new home, and assuring you of a hearty welcome any time you may visit us.

Yours sincerely,
Helen Spencer, Sec.

Mr. Ross Richardson, of Trentge, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Madd Ray Cooney.

The W.M.S. Easter Thankoffering amounted to nearly $25.00 and the Mission Band was almost $8.00 with more promised.

Miss Eileen Phillips, of Belleville spent the Easter week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthr Phillips, returning to the city on Tuesday.

Miss Edna Thrasher attended the Easter Cantata in Stirling on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McConnell spent Easter week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCoy, Madoc.

A very successful sale of Farm Stock and implements was held at the home of Mr. Edward Montgomery, Pump Street, on Thursday, Mar. 29th, with a large crowd in attendance. Mr. George Arnott, of Frankford, was the auctioneer and Mr. Ray Williams, of Hoards, also did some of the selling. Ray is a new beginner in the business and his friends wish him success. The black team sold for over three hundred dollars and three of the cows sold for fifty-one dollars each, and the others brought a lower price. Men were present from Belleville, Campbellford and nearby points.

Miss Agnes Sharp is holidaying with her friend Miss Ethel Hagerman, at Minto.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Linn entertained to tea on Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hoard, James and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher and Edna, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Summers.

Mrs. Percy MacMullen spent Thursday and Friday of last week at the home of her father, Mr. Edward Montgomery.

Mr. Randall Melville, of Marmora, is holidaying at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Melville this week.

Mrs. Edgar Reid entertained Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McKeown and Frances on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Earl McAdam and Lois were recent week-end visitors in Toronto.

Mrs. Merle Spencer spent last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Clayton Wallace, Burnbrae. A new daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace on Sunday, March 25th. Miss Helen and Master Frank Spencer are planning to spend a few days this week with their aunt and uncle.

A number of folks from here took in the hockey match between the Maple Leafs, Toronto, and Detroit, via the radio on Friday evening.

Miss Mary Montgomery of Murray spent Thursday at the home of her brother here.

Miss Helen Spencer entertained the Misses Vera McAdam and Mildred Sharp one Sunday recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Summers entertained Mr. and Mrs. Melville Donnan and family of West Huntingdon on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Merles, of ...ersburg spent a recent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Montgomery, of Dundonald were dinner guests on Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McCormick, Wooler, and spent the balance of the time with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Montgomery. On Friday they journeyed home and were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred MacDonald, Murray.

Messrs Al. Kellar and Tom Bowers of Oshawa called on a number of friends here one day last week.

Master James Donnan of West Huntingdon is holidaying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sharp.

Mr. Fred Milligan of Newburgh motored up on Thursday afternoon and Miss Muriel Milligan accompanied her father home for the Easter holidays.

Some from here attended the dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Third, Carmel, on Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Third have moved to the home recently occupied by Mrs. Stapley. Mrs. Third resided on Pump Street a few years ago, before her marriage.

Mrs. Blanche Millsap, Billy and Mary, of Napanee are holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. James Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Potts attended a funeral in Tweed on Easter Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Sharp, Marie and Audrey and Mr. Albert Dorland spent the Easter week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Post, Rossmore.

Friends were sorry to hear of the serious illness of Mrs. Jack Ryan, who has contracted heart trouble.

Mr. Ira David entertained Messrs Billy Millsap, Carleton and Irvin Potts to tea on Monday evening.

Mrs. John Reid spent a few days last week with Mrs. C. U. Clancy, Mrs. Israel Clancy and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Clancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Montgomery are moving this week to their home on the fourth concession and Willie has accepted a position with Mr. Geo. Young.

Mr. Sherwin Cronkwright, of Thurlow spent a recent Sunday with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Sharp.

Mrs. John Reid spent Thursday evening with Mrs. James Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Bailey and Barbara of Toronto motored down on Thursday evening and planned to spend the Easter week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bailey. However on Saturday evening they were hurriedly called here owing to the sudden passing of Mrs. Bailey's father, Rev. James Batstone. Friends here extend sympathy to Lillian at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen entertained a few young people on Easter Monday evening in honour of Eileen's birthday, which was on Saturday, March 31st. The guests numbered sixteen.

Mr. Conger McConnell is attending a Trustee Convention under the auspices of the Dept of Agriculture in Toronto this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McKeown entertained several ladies to a quilting on Thursday afternoon and in the evening the husbands and families came for tea and spent the evening.

With the passing of the late Rev. James Batstone who was a former pastor here, there are now only two former pastors living, Rev. S. F. Dixon of Milford and Rev. W. H. Clarke, of Shannonville.

Mr. Harold White has been spending several days with his cousin, Mr. Gerald Sharp, at Frankford.

On Sunday afternoon the Easter service was held with a good attendance. The Church was gaily decorated with a beautiful Easter Lily and an Azalea. The Misses Olive McConnell and Edna Thrasher delighted with a duet "Bearing His Cross" and Miss Mildred Sharp was heard in a peasing solo "Nailed to the Cross." The pastor, Rev. F. G. Joblin gave an inspirational Easter message.

The Y.P.S. biennial convention is being held in Belleville on Monday, April 9th, and it is hoped that some from here will be able to attend.

On Good Friday, the President, Mr. John Coggins, opened Y.P.S. with "Come let us join our cheerful songs" and prayer. An invitation to visit Carmel Y.P.S. on April 27th was accepted. The minutes were read and adopted. Mrs. Kenneth Smith delighted with an Easter solo "Christ has risen from the Tomb" with Miss Frances McKeown as accompanist. Mr. David Bell read the Bible lesson portraying "Christ's Betrayal". All sang "Alas and did my Saviour bleed" and Mrs. Thomas McKeown gave a reading "Easter Chimes". Mrs. James Sharp outlined an interesting topic on "Easter Thoughts" and said Christ today is as much a living personality as in Bible days. Rev. Joblin commented on the topic and said we should all remember "If Christ be not risen in me this Eastertide, then the Easter message is of no avail. Mrs. Allan Reid and Mrs. John Reid sang a pleasing duet "Ivory Palaces" and Mrs. Frank Smith read an Easter Message." The meeting closed with "When I survey the wondrous Cross" and a Bible contest dealing with Jesus, his death and resurrection. League standing: Harry 141, Edna 134, Muriel 133, Harold 126.

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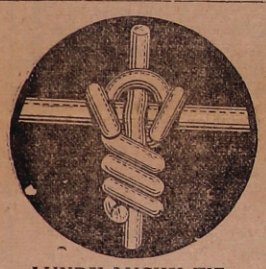
SPRINGBROOK W. I.

The March meeting of the Springbrook W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. L. Mumby on Wednesday, Mar. 28th, with an attendance of thirty-five present. The meeting was opened by the singing of "O Canada" and the Institute Ode", followed by the "Lord's Prayer" in unison. The roll call was responded to by "Positions (Gov.) that women may hold in Ontario." The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted. Letters of acknowledgment from Mrs. Fred McKeown, Mrs. A. Reid and Mrs. M. McInroy for the plants they received during their recent illnesses were read. It has been decided that Springbrook will be the centre for the special summer meeting at which the lady speaker will be present, the date set by the department being June 11th. Mrs. Fred Heath made the motion that the Institute place on record a motion protesting the high rate of Hydro service charges in Ontario. This motion was seconded by Mrs. G. Eastwood. The following programme was then given. The motto—"A country is what its leaders make it," was given by Mr. T. H. Webb. The topic "The Important duties and activities of the Municipal Council" was looked after in a very capable manner by Mrs. G. Bailey, who acted as leader in a discussion concerning municipal affairs. Slips of paper bearing such questions as "What would I do if I were a member of the Council" or "What I would do if I were a school trustee," etc., were given to a few members who during the discussion period were asked to read and answer them. Miss Phyllis Barlow rendered a pleasing piano solo "The Black Hawk Waltz." A paper on "The Origin of the League of Nations" was read by Miss K. McComb. A contest on books of the New Testament" was put on by Mrs. G. Eastwood, the winners being awarded a box of candy. The meting was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

Lunch was served and during the social half hour a photo of the Springbrook W. I. which was taken some thirty years ago was passed around. This picture brought back many happy memories to the older members of our present W. I., a few of which were members when the photo was taken.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Clancy, of Toronto, and Mr. E. C. Clancy, of Hamilton were week-end guests of Mrs. C. U. Clancy, Hoards.

Mr. Albert Warren, Prin. of Bancroft Public School is spending the Easter holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Warren, Bethel.



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8.40	1.00	.60	STIRLING	.60	1.00	4.15
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WEST HUNTINGDON

Instead of saying "How do you do, or good day" when two farmers meet out here, the salutation is "poor sap weather" or "Pigs are going down in price".

We believe the reason why the sap isn't running is perhaps because there are no "sap heads" out here. But evidently there is one out in Stirling posing as Editor for the "Owl's Window".

Mr. Phillip Carr is attending the Trustees' and Ratepayers' Association meeting held in Toronto this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Heagle, of Hoards spent Wednesday at Arthur Wilson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Holden and June and Mr. Chas. Fargey spent Easter Sunday with friends at Lindsay. Mr. Jack McQuarry accompanied them home and is spending the holiday with Mr. Sandy McCurdy, Sunnybrook Farm.

The Endeavourers' Class spent a social evening with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sarles, prior to their departure for their new home at Madoc.

Mrs. L. Fox and children of Trenton are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McGowan.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Donnan spent Thursday at Mrs. Summers' Mount Pleasant, and attended Mr. Edward Montgomery's sale.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bray, of Mill St. received word on Saturday of the marriage of their daughter, Katie, to Dr. Moran, a successful physician, of Buffalo.

We are pleased to report that two of our citizens who have been away from town on account of illness have arrived home much improved in health. They are Miss Eva Wilson, of Toronto, and Mr. Chester Sills, of Civic Hospital, Ottawa.

Miss Olive McGowan had her tonsils removed on Friday at Dr. McCreary's office, Belleville, and is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McGowan, before returning to her duties at O. S. D., Belleville.

MADOC JUNCTION

Miss Margaret Danford, of Peterboro Normal is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Danford.

Mr. and Mrs. James Raynor entertained a number of friends at their home one evening last week.

Mrs. Ethel Danford and Marjorie of Belleville were week-end guests of Mrs. Danford's mother, Mrs. Sarah Stapley.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Heath and Clinton, Ridge Road, were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Stapley.

Master Donald Stapley is spending the Easter holidays in Belleville with his cousin, Miss Marjorie Danford.

HOLLOWAY

Rev. F. C. Beazer, of Roslin held service at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J Lowery on Wednesday night and gave a very interesting discourse on the "Seven last utterances of our Lord from the Cross."

Mr. and Mrs. W. Cadman spent Sunday last with her sister in Wooler.

Quite a number of this congregation attended the special services in Foxboro during the past week, by Rev. Mr. Cragg, a former minister.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Kelly and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. G. Bird.

Mr. Harry Faulkner of Peterborough Normal is spending Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Faulkner.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Searles were given a surprise and presentation on the eve of their departure for their new home in Madoc.

Miss Normah Belcour spent Monday with Lois McLellan.

There was no church service held at this appointment on Sunday last owing to Quarterly Meeting in Foxboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith, of Tyendinaga spent Wednesday evening with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith.

Miss Myrtle Reid is spending a few days with her cousin, Mrs. M. Robson.

Mrs. A. Lowery has had trouble in one of her eyes during the past month and found it necessary to consult Dr. Chant, who pronounced it shingles.

Mr. Elwood Wilson has returned home after several weeks at West Huntingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Garrison, of Belleville spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. H. Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hamilton visited the latter's brother, Mr. G. Hough, Demorestville, on Thursday last.

H. Sutherland of Centenary, is holidaying with his sister, Mrs. P. Kelly.

Mr. C. Irvine, of Stirling, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Hubble.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, of Plainfield.

Miss B. Spencer, Mrs. W. Cadman and Mrs. A. Lowery called on Mrs. R. Townsend on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hagerman spent Saturday evening at Mr. G. H. Rose's.

Miss Merle Wannamaker, R.N., has been nursing Mr. King for the past week with pneumonia.

Miss Ruby Kelly is able to be out again after being confined to her bed with bronchitis.

Mr. C. Elliott narrowly escaped serious injury on Friday last when his horses ran away with a load of shoats he had bought that day. He was nearly home when the wheel t dropped in a hole and pitched then box off, on which he was riding. His f face was quite badly bruised and a scratched up, but he was able to go to Dr. Ward, who dressed it temporarily and sent him to Dr. Chant, fearing the nose was broken, but on closer examination, no fracture was discovered. Luckily he escaped with no serious damage, only the loss of one pig.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Carter and daughter spent the week-end in Toronto.

Mr. D. Curlette has returned home after a month or so west of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Goodfellow and family of Latta, and Mrs. A. Lowery visited Mr. and Mrs. S. Rose on Sunday.

Mrs. M. Hayton of Rawdon school is holidaying at Mr. L. Robson's.

Miss Doris Dafoe, of Foxboro, is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Nellie Cadman.

Mrs. R. Townsend and Miss B. Spencer attended Easter service at St. Andrew's, West Huntingdon, on Sunday afternoon.

CARMEL

On Friday evening Y. P. Society met with Rev. E. W. Rowland in charge of the meeting. After the devotional period, the topic was given by Rev. Rowland, his subject being "The Three Great Temptations of Jesus". Mary Southworth and Will Reynolds gave readings and Miss Nina Carlisle sang on Easter solo. Mrs. Southworth conducted a contest of jumbled words with their meanings. The meeting closed with the benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Pyear visited Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hagerman, of Tyendinaga were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hagerman.

Miss Dorothy Dunham is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bailey and family and Miss Dorothy Dunham spent Sunday with the latter's grandmother, Mrs. Wallace, in Campbellford.

Mr. and Mrs. Third entertained a large number of their friends at a party on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. S. Holden spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Hagerman of Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pyear and family were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Brooks.

Mr. Wm. Carlisle and Miss Marion Carlisle are spending this week in Toronto where Mr. Carlisle is attending the Trustee Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Brooks and family spent the week-end in Mimico visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Easton.

Mr. Elam Brooks returned home after spending the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Easton.

Mrs. Hattie Hubel spent a few days this week at the home of her son, Mr. Russell Hubbel, Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Fraser, of Deseronto Harbour spent the week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Conley entertained a number of their friends at a party on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burley, of Belleville spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. MacSutton, of Oshawa spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. P. Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Anderson and family, of Trenton, were Sunday visitors of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Farrell.

MINTO

Friends of Mrs. Bedell are sorry to hear of her illness and wish for her a speedy recovery.

Miss Marguerite White spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. George Pine.

Miss Agnes Sharpe visited Miss Mabel Hagerman last week.

Master Ray White spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. Geo. Stone.

Miss Bernice Hogle, of Centenary spent the week-end at her home here.

Misses Ethel Hagerman and Agnes Sharpe spent the tea hour on Friday with Mrs. Geo. Stone.

Misses Edna Reid and Audrey Post spent Saturday with Miss Bernice Hogle.

Miss Helen Clements, of Toronto, is spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clements.

Misses Mae and Marjorie Clements, of Stirling, visited their parents over the week-end.

SIDNEY CROSSING

Quite a number attended the funeral of the late Mr. Harley Hubble, 3rd concession, on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. Clayton Outwater and his mother, of Mount Carmel, spent Thursday last with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Outwater.

Miss Frances Hinchcliffe, of Toronto, spent a few days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hinchcliffe.

Mrs. Bruce Hogle has returned home after spending the past few weeks with her daughter in Belleville.

The Aikins W.M.S. held an "At Home" on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Grills. A goodly number were present and an enjoyable evening was spent by all.

BURNBRAE

Messrs Alex and W. A. Hume, Stanley and Blythe Nelson attended a meeting of the Northumberland County Livestock Improvement Society in Warkworth on Wednesday last.

Mr. Herbert Watson purchased a team of black horses at the sale of Mr. Ed. Montgomery on Thursday.

Miss Jean Rannie, also Mr. John Rannie and his daughter, Miss Elsie visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rannie and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Weir, of Guelph over the week-end.

Mr. Wm. Leishman is employed on the farm of Mrs. Geo. Hay for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Anderson, Miss Margaret Anderson, R.N., and Mr. Lorne Anderson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hume on Easter Monday.

Syrup making has begun in this section, but as yet very little has been offered for sale.

Messrs Malcolm and Howard assisted the Hoards Young People present their play at Meyersburg on Thursday of the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. MacMillan and family have taken up residence in the Manse. They motored from Ottawa on Good Friday. We welcome them to our community.

Misses Fern Weatherill and Edith Wallace are spending the Easter vacation at their respective homes.

Mrs. Sam Wallace has sufficiently recovered to be able to be removed to her home. Her many friends will be glad to see her about again.

Misses Emily and Jean and Mr. Donald Craighead are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Craighead.

MARRIED — On Saturday, March 31st, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. D. L. MacKenzie, Centreville, formerly of Burnbrae, Miss Sylvia Whitton, eldest daughter of Mrs. Wm. Whitton became the bride of Mr. Fred Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett. Congratulations.

The young men of the neighbourhood gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Bennett on Monday night and gave the newlyweds an old-fashioned chivaree.

The robins are back and we are surely glad to greet the red breasted messengers of Spring once again.

his new surroundings he acted as implement company collector, and for a while, like everyone else in the booming West, he acted as real estate agent. In the 1911 Reciprocity election, Sheriff Van Wart, Liberal candidate in Calgary opposing R. B. Bennett, present Prime Minister of Canada, received welcome aid in his campaigning efforts from a newcomer to the district. It was "Bill" Howson, whose voice was now a far Western echo of the deep Liberal notes struck by his father and elder brother, back in Peterborough county.

The election over and having apparently observed from its local outcome how useful legal training could be in the local political field, Howson devoted his tireless energies during the following three years to the study of arts and law at the University of Alberta. During his spare time he served his articles in the law office of the late Hon. A. G. Mackay, long a power both in Ontario and Alberta political affairs. By 1915 Howson had graduated in both courses and his outstanding ability was recognized by the bestowal of the gold medal award for the highest general proficiency record over the three-year period of his scholarship.

Alert and Militant

In 1916 he married Jane Elizabeth, daughter of John and Lydia Carmichael, pioneer Westerners, and their union has since been blessed by three fine children — Margaret, Isabel Ann and William Jr. Shortly after his marriage Mr. Howson enlisted for overseas service and saw action in France as a private in the First Canadian Tank Battalion. Upon returning to Edmonton following the Armistice, he was made a partner in the new legal firm of Parlee, Freeman and Howson. From 1929 until 1930 when he was first elected to the provincial House as a Liberal member for Edmonton, Mr. Howson took an active and prominent part in the interests of the Grit cause. In 1931 he left his former partnership to organize Howson, Duncan, McLachlan and Cross, continuing the practice of Short and Cross—Edmonton's oldest legal firm.

A hard-hitter in public address and a forceful personality in debate, Howson was early marked for leadership of what he himself now describes as "the party of the helpful hand". And so, in the Foothill Province, at least, Laurier's dream of an alert and militant type of Canadian Liberalism is commencing to assume form and some measure of substance. In Howson the new Grit revival finds both its personification and inspiration.

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IVANHOE PUB. SCHOOL REPORT

Sr. IV. — Hilda Kilpatrick 84, Minnie Wense 76, Neva Hagerman 73.

"I tried so hard to save you both from this — I did it all to prevent this."

"Something terrible must have happened!" cried Angie, with a flash. "I—I know it!"

The major nodded, looking past her out of the window.

"There's King Haddon coming in here," he exclaimed. "Go let him in, Angie; I'm going to finish my breakfast Haddon or no Haddon! You can tell him so — if you've a mind to."

Angie, flushed and angry, hurried out of the room, glad to escape those shrewd old eyes.

Haddon would not wait in the library.

"Where's the major? At breakfast? I'll go right in — if you don't mind?" and he went, in spite of Angie's protests.

"Hello! Still at breakfast?" he said, as his eye fell on the old man's engrossed attitude.

The major started up, half rising from the table, but Haddon stopped him.

"Sit down, Lomax, I don't want to starve you," he laughed. "I can wait —Angie didn't want to let me in here anyway."

"I said I wouldn't see you until I'd finished. What's the matter at this hour anyway? I haven't robbed the bank."

Kingdon Haddon laughed. "Come in, Angie," he said as the girl tried to pass quickly through the room to the kitchen, "I haven't come to talk secrets and your uncle's crusty — I need protection!"

Angie stopped, smiling and flushed, and leaned on a chair, looking at him. She liked Kingdon Haddon but she was afraid of his wife; she could not have explained her fear of her, but it existed. Haddon was sitting on the edge of an empty serving-table.

"I came in to ask you a question, Lomax," he said irrelatively. "You know about such things. How much is Gordon's place worth now? I mean the house and grounds, including the river lot next yours."

Major Lomax pushed his chair back, felt in his pocket for his old pipe and began to fill it carefully.

"Near as I can figure — about six

"There's some trouble. I'm sorry for Will Gordon. He's a good man, and she's a good woman.

or seven thousand. The house needs repairs. Why?" he added, "What's hit him?"

Haddon looked absently out of the window. "How should I know? Family troubles, I reckon. The bank holds the mortgage. Helena doesn't want me to touch it. I don't know what to say about it yet."

Major Lomax rose and began to tramp up and down.

"Where's Gordon going to take his thoughtfully across at Angie's pale face and pleading brown eyes.

"I saw Miss Gordon on Monday—in Washington," he remarked thoughtfully.

"In Washington?" Angie started, "why, I didn't know she'd been away!"

Haddon nodded grimly, considering her pretty flush and her round, soft eyes critically.

"She was there all right. A decided beauty, too. I hadn't noticed it so much before. How's the boy turning out, Lomax?"

"Roddy?" The major twisted his old mouth into a queer expression. "Sowing wild oats, Haddon, I reckon. He's in New York, Greenough Trust Company—gets twenty-five dollars a week — or did six months ago. I haven't heard that he's increased in value," he added sarcastically.

Haddon, who was observing Angie, saw the girl's wince of pain and the red going up to her forehead. "In love with the boy—too bad!" he thought.

"Family troubles drain a man's pocket sometimes," he remarked sententiously.

Angie fired up, her brown eyes glowing with almost the wine tint of Roddy's. She was one of those gentle obstinate creatures who fight to the last ditch for love.

"They haven't got any family troubles, Mr. Haddon," she said hotly. "They're very fond of Nancy and very proud of her; she's lovely, I've known her all my life — and — Roddy is doing well. Mrs. Gordon told me so herself."

Haddon listened with his lazy, good-humoured smile. "I wish I had a friend like you," he said.

Angie blushed crimson. "I'd feel very mean not to stand up for my friends. Anyone would — I should think!"

Major Lomax looked around at her with a grim smile. "My dear, there are a mighty lot of Judases in the world," he remarked dryly.

Haddon assented, buttoning up his loose spring overcoat, coughing a little as he did it.

Major Lomax glanced up at Haddon without rising. "Going right over to see Gordon?" he asked shortly.

Haddon, half way to the door turned. "Oh, I shall send for him to come to my office — when he gets to the bank today."

"You needn't — I've bought it myself."

"By Jove! You're quick at a bargain," Haddon exclaimed after a moment, "it was only just put in the market."

Lomax nodded. "Took it over the telephone before you came in," he said grimly.

Haddon reddened and then laugh-

ed.

"I concede the honours of war!" he said ironically, making for the door.

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Mrs. Gordon opened the old worn gate timidly and approached the house with a hesitating, reluctant step. She was trying to realize that the place, which she had called home ever since Roddy was a baby, was no longer hers. She had just been down to the bank to sign the papers, making over the house to Major Lomax. and her hand had trembled so that she had to apologize for her signature. She went into the house, feeling a little faint and giddy. She did not know there was anyone in the library; she went straight in and sank weakly into a chair, staring blankly at the sunshine in the old south window.

" 'In my Father's house are many mansions—' " she whispered tremulously, unaware that she spoke loud.

Nancy rose suddenly from the corner opposite. Her mother had not even seen her and the girl had been silenced by her first glimpse of Mrs. Gordon's face.

"Mama, what is it?" She cried, "tell me—even if I have done something—something dreadful. I'm not an outsider. I—you and papa don't tell me anything! What is it? Mama, you're wretched! Is it about Roddy?"

Mrs. Gordon looked at her blankly, absorbed in her own troubles. "Your father's just sold the house," she said weakly.

"Oh!" Nancy gave a sharp little cry of pain, rising to her feet. "I tried so hard to save you both from this, Mama. I did it all to prevent this, —and it's been useless — useless!" she groaned.

Mrs. Gordon nodded her head sadly. "It wasn't any use, Nancy. You know how your father feels. He's paid back seven thousand already."

"To Richard?"

Mrs. Gordon raised her eyes reluctantly to her daughter's haggard face. "Yes, dear. He—your father would have it so. That leaves eight more to pay, and he—"

Nancy rose and stood quite still and straight, her white face set.

"Who bought the house?"

"Major Lomax."

Nancy's blue eyes widened. He gave four thousand cash," her mother went on mechanically, "and there's three still on the mortgage. He's she hesitated and then added, cheerfully: "He's been kind, dear. I urged Papa not to sell the furniture. He said it wouldn't bring enough to make it worth while, and—he wants us to keep the house—to rent it from him."

"On father's salary. Why Mama, there'll be one pinch after another! He—he hasn't sold anything else, has he?" she added fearfully.

Her mother sighed. "He's selling all his securities except his life insurance. He hopes to net about two thousand more. That will be nine paid. But, oh, Nancy, I don't know where in the world he's going to get the other six thousand from!"

Nancy sank down on the lounge. "Mama, I never thought of it in that way," she faltered, "I had only the one thought to save Roddy from prison."

"Oh, Nancy, I don't see how you could do it! When I was your age ——"

Mrs. Gordon stopped with her mouth open, for they both heard Amanda admitting a visitor.

Nancy listened, straining her ears.

"It's Mrs. Haddon!" Nancy cried, springing up. "You see her Mother, I—I will not!"

Mrs. Gordon looked aghast. She had never known Mrs. Kingdon Haddon well and she did not like her.

"She's come to see you, Nancy, I ——"

Nancy pushed her shaking hands. "Go out there and talk to her—in the other room. Don't let her come in here!"

Mrs. Gordon, reluctant and embarrassed, allowed herself to be pushed. Nancy thrust her through the portieres, drew them behind her, and went back to her lounge. She meant to go upstairs but she actually felt faint and ill.

Bit by bit she became aware of voices. Now the words took shape and became sentences. It was Helena's voice, her full, soft, drawling voice.

"He's taking care of King; you know my husband clings to a doctor!" she laughed softly. "He and Richard Morgan are great friends now; I'm glad of it for I was afraid he wouldn't like Richard. Men are such queer creatures. As a boy, Richard was so much in love with me he offered to fight King for trying to marry me!"

She paused and Mrs. Gordon mumbled something, an indistinct sentence or two, evidently bewildered. Nancy sat up straight now and listened, although she knew that Helena wanted her to listen.

"I cared for him, too, of course—who wouldn't? But my father—you remember him, Mrs. Gordon?"

"I—I think so, yes, I do." Mrs. Gordon's tone showed confusion.

"He really insisted that I should marry Kingdon. I—well, I broke my engagement and—" she laughed softly again, regretfully, "dear Mrs. Gordon, Richard felt it so much that I'm afraid sometimes — he'll never marry now. I really wish he would, it's so lonely over there for mim since his mother's death!"

Mrs. Gordon evidently did not rise to the occasion for Nancy only heard a murmur. There were a few words more and then Helena's voice rose again, keyed to carry far, as her listener knew.

"I was so sorry that Kingdon didn't buy your house when Mr. Gordon offered it. It's quite a lovely old place. You must hate to give it up so suddenly, Mrs. Gordon?"

"Major Lomax wants us to stay on —to rent it from him", explained Mrs. Gordon, her voice breaking. "I do hate to leave it!"

"I should think you would! And your son, Mrs. Gordon. What do you hear from him?" she let her voice rest a moment and then, slowly drawling, "is he doing well?"

Nancy knew, without seeing it, the crimson flush that went up over her mother's face.

"Roddy's always done well. He's doing splendidly now."

"I'm so glad to hear it! Kingdon was asking about him yesterday. He knows someone in the trust company, I think, a Mr. Beaver, a cousin of Major Lomax."

Nancy started, trembling with apprehension. She remembered Roddy's description of old Beaver with his nose to the ground. Did this woman know?

(Continued Next Week)

NEWS OF INTEREST FOR BUSY FARMERS

Experience has proved the great advantage from every standpoint of dehorning commercial cattle, and a great benefit would accrue to the live stock industry if all commercial cattle were dehorned. Every effort should therefore be made to attain this object, and it more than merits the active support and co-operation of the press, and all institutions and organizations interested in the live stock industry to encourage the practice of dehorning all horned commercial cattle between March 15 and April 15, or during the month of October.

Champion Egg Eaters

Although, compared with some other countries, the per capita consumption of poutry in Canada is relatively low, Canada retains the egg-eating championship, with 28.36 dozen eggs consumed per head of population in 1932. While the average consumption of poultry by each inhabitant of the United States in that year was about 18 pounds, of which 7.7 pounds were hens and chickens. Although 112,241,206 pounds of poultry and eggs has been relatively well maintained. In June last year, according to the bulletin, "The Agricultural Situation," issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture, the number of hens and chickens on farms in Canada was 54,943,000.

Soft Bacon

The further expansion of our bacon trade with Great Britain depends to a large extent upon quality improvement. Recent advices from the British market criticize our supplies on the score of underfinish in a large percentage of bacon sides, as indicated by softness and flabbiness. This soft flabby bacon is most likely the product of underfinished hogs, of which there are considerable numbers being marketed at yards and plants in Canada at the present time. The remedy lies with the producer in holding back unfinished hogs. In most cases another week or so on feed would put on the finish so necessary for the making of firm bacon. All hogs of bacon and select weights should be properly finished at their weights. Underfinish is as detrimental as overfinish, and in this case is a very serious obstacle to efforts being made to popularize Canadian bacon with the British consumer. Every hog raiser is asked to cooperate to the best of his ability.

New Egg Grades

The revised Dominion egg grading regulations recently passed at Ottawa are now in force in Ontario for all shipments. The former grade names of fresh specials, fresh extras, firsts, seconds, pullet extras, etc., etc., have been changed to A-1, A, B, and C, with different weight classifications within each grade.

The chief purpose of the revision is to enable the farmer to be paid on a quality basis, as well as making it possible for the consumer to tell what he or she is buying. Producers are allowed eight eggs per half-case under grade on examination and suitable penalties are made for any infringement.

Hog Outlook Favourable

While it is likely there will be some temporary price declines during the present year, the trend of hog prices appears upward. Market supply prospects are for a moderate volume during the first half of the year, followed by a fairly substantial increase. Prospects for export appear to be satisfactory, and the restrictions existing on exports from foreign countries selling to the British market are working quite favourably toward stabilization of prices. Despite the present favourable export outlook improvement in breeding, feeding, selection, and processing so as to secure a large percentage top grades of bacon is much more desirable than a marked increase in general production.

Insulting

An Aberdeen lady was buying a birthday present for her husband. In the gent's department of a big store she asked for a collar, size sixteen. The assistant quickly found the appropriate box in which the collars were housed and inquired in mild surprise:

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"Yes, certainly, only one," said the lady, haughtily; "do ye think I'm a bigamist?"

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General News of Interest

Decided changes in the administration of direct relief are being studied by the Ontario Government, Hon. J. H. Robb, Minister of Health and Labour stated last week. It is expected the changes may take the form of cash relief payments or at least extension of relief payments above the standard set by the Campbell report.

BELLEVILLE — Warning to truck owners, that half-load regulations are now in effect are given by the Ontario Department of Highways. During the months of March and April solid tired trucks are permitted only half their registered capacity load while pneumatic tired vehicles carrying a capacity of 3 tons and not more than six tons shall carry only a three ton load. With a registered capacity of more than six tons they shall be restricted to half their registered capacities. Horse-drawn loads shall be limited to 250 pounds per inch in width of tire. The limitations apply on all county roads and in this district to the following section of King's Highways: Foxboro to Stirling; Brighton to Campbellford; Trenton to Marmora and Corbyville to Actinolite.

TORONTO — "Beer and wine under the amended Liquor Control Act will be on sale in hotels and restaurants by July 1, no matter who wins the Provincial election," the Toronto Telegram says it is confidently stated at the Parliament Buildings. It is expected Premier Henry will announce the election date probably in three weeks' time, with the date to be either Wednesday, May 30 or a week later, June 6. Political observers believe the date will not be later than June 6, as it is felt the Government wants to keep the ball rolling and maintain the beer policy before the public while the matter is hot. It is felt an election could not be held before the last week in May in view of road conditions in the country and the fact that farmers will be busy — and even into June—with seeding or general work."

ALLANDALE — A new highway from Toronto to Allandale, paralleling closely the Toronto and York suburban road via Weston and Woodbridge to Schombery and thence over the Simcoe highway to Allandale, planned to relieve traffic congestion south of Barrie, forms part of a $5,000,000 highway construction program announced by Hon. Leopold Maccaulay, Minister of Highways. The new highway, forming a completely new route northwards from Toronto, is one of numerous details of a wide scheme of surfacing, reconstruction and highway improvement, which includes such major undertakings as completion of the Belle River gap in Highway No. 2, just east of Windsor; completion of the highway from Galt to Brantford; completion of Highway No. 7 from Greenwood to Brooklin; new surfacing between Aurora and Richmond Hill and widening of the highway to 30 feet, and completion of the road from Thornbury to Collingwood, which will also provide a hard surface route from Toronto, via Barrie, to Owen Sound.

ENDEAVOURERS' CLASS HOLD SOCIAL EVENING

The Endeavourers' Sunday School Class of West Huntingdon met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Sarles to hold their monthly meeting and to spend one more social evening with them before they leave for their new home in Madoc. The meeting was opened by singing "Mary to the Saviour Stood", followed by prayer by Mr. Carr. The Scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Melville Donnan and the hymn "There is a Green Hill Far Away" was sung. The business was then dealt with. Marguerite and Irene Elliott favoured the gathering with a solo and Mrs. Tom Elliott and Frank Hammond each gave readings. Mr. and Mrs. Sarles were then asked to come to the front and Elmer read the following address:

Dear George and Helen,—

We your friends and neighbours have learned with much regret that you have decided to remove from our midst and take up your home in Madoc. We are the ones who have lost two members, but our loss will be another's gain. So we have invaded your home tonight uninvited, to spend a social evening with you before you go. As members of the Endeavourers' Sunday School Class your Christian influence and help will be sadly missed as you have always endeavoured to do your part. As members of the community at large you shall be greatly missed and your place will be hard to fill as you have always proved yourselves a good neighbour in time of trouble or need, and you were willing to give your very best for the good of your neighbours and friends. As a token of our esteem for you we ask you to accept this gift, not for its value, but as a remembrance of the Endeavourers' Class of West Huntingdon Church, who wish you every happiness in your new home.

What is the worth of a little song
No one can truly say,
For sometimes its echoes may linger longer,
And sometimes they die in a day.
What is the worth of a smile, a kiss,
Only a seer could guess—
Though often they bring but a moment's bliss
Yet all of a life they may bless.
Who can value a mood, a word,
A passing stranger's glance?
Whether the heart be cold or stirred
Seems but a work of chance.
Some must go to the earth's far ends
Seeking life's ardent fires,
Others find where their road first bends,
All of their heart's desire.

Signed on behalf of the Endeavourers' Class — Helen Donnan, Florence Wright.

Mrs. Howard Cooke presented them with a jardineer for which they both thanked the class. The meeting was closed by singing a hymn and prayer by Helen Donnan, and Florence Wright put on an apple contest, after which lunch was served.

A well-known judge was entertaining a party of friends in a popular restaurant when a beautiful woman entered. The judge observed to his friends loud enough for the girl to hear:

Judge—Jove, what a pretty girl!

Girl (turning sweetly)—And what a good judge.

PETHERICK'S CORNERS

(Too Late for Last Week)

A family gathering in honour of Mr. Amos Barnum's eighty-fifth birthday was held at the home of Mr. Alfred Barnum on Wednesday night of last week. There were over forty present. A program was arranged by Mrs. Ernest Slogget, who acted as chairman. The first on the program was a birthday song by the great-grandchildren, Gerald Slogget, Raymond Begg, Glen Nelson and Donald Petherick, who also made the presentation to their grandfather of a box of candy and a bouquet. Rev. MacTavish was called upon for a speech and Mr. Barnum replied, thanking them for this birthday party, which was a surprise to him. A recitation was given by Gerald Slogget; piano solo by Frances McKeown; recitation by Raymond Begg, song by Helen Barnum; piano solo by Evelyn Barnum; banjo solo by Albert Case, also encore; recitation by Gerald Slogget; contest; reading by Ernest Slogget; games and contests concluded this part of the program, after which lunch was served.

A miscellaneous shower was given Mr. and Mrs. Allen Simpson on Friday night last week at the home of Mr. Jim Milne.

A painful accident happened to Mr. S. Runnells, Crow Bay cheese maker, while operating his circular sawing machine at Mrs. Simpson's last Friday morning. Mr. Runnells' hand came in contact with the saw, cutting his thumb and two fingers. He was taken to Belleville Hospital and it is expected he will lose only the one finger.

The funeral of the late Mr. David Brunton was held on Saturday afternoon. Interment in Zion cemetery. This is the fourth funeral at Zion in the last five weeks. Sympathy of the community is extended to the family.

Gerald and Clarence Barnum were in Toronto during the week-end and attended the Detroit hockey play-off.

RYLSTONE

(Too Late for Last Week)

On Wednesday evening of last week the Rylestone Community League held a Mock Parliament in the 9th Line Schoolhouse. The following were the members: Lieutenant Governor, Murray Meiklejohn; Speaker—F. M. Rutherford; Sergeant at Arms, Ross Thompson; Premier, Miss Ethel Horsman; Opposition, Rev. H. W. Foley; Minister of Education, Mrs. F. M. Rutherford; Opposition, Margaret Cock; Minister of Crown Lands, Sam Adams; Opposition, Jim Barnett; Minister of Highways, Clarence Anderson; Opposition Ray Shortt; Minister of Health, Jean Stewart; Opposition, Vera Finch; Minister of Agriculture, Murray Meiklejohn; Opposition, Roy Shortt; Minister of Public Works, Kenneth Ray; Opposition, Winnie Spencer; Minister of Mines, Fred Thomson; Opposition, Vera Stewart; Attorney-General, Laura Foley; Opposition, Mrs. G. Meiklejohn; Provincial Treasurer, Vivian Meiklejohn; Opposition, Lorne Anderson; Provincial Secretary, Mrs. Murray Meiklejohn, Opposition, Leah Stewart. Other members, Alex Stewart, Marjorie Reid, Pearl Stewart, Ross Mumby, V. Meiklejohn, W. Reid, Roy Stewart, Alvie Heath, Della Mumby, C. Meiklejohn, Clarence Thomson, Les. McKeown, Bill Thomson, Esther Meiklejohn, Art Reid, Carl Heath, Pages, Harry Mumby and Gordon and Cameron Meiklejohn. This Mock Parliament was representing the Ontario House, Opening Annual Session, Lieut.-Governor Murray Meiklejohn read the Speech from the Throne. Address in Reply moved by Mrs. Murray Meiklejohn. The following are the subjects under debate from the Speech from the Throne: Education—To start night schools in all rural schools, compulsory attendance up to 21 years of age; Crown Lands — All waste land above 20 acres per farm to be expropriated and reforested with unemployed labour; Highways — That all cars hard to start in winter be sent to the wreckers; Health — that the health of the people be cared for by public Doctors, as Education is by Public School Teachers; Agriculture —That all dairy cows be tested and all eliminated giving less than 8999 lbs. of milk per year; Public Works —To build a New Parliament building for the Legislature; Attorney-General — That no person be allowed a liquor permit and driver's licence in any one year; Provincial Treasurer — That all Bachelors over 25, men and women, be taxed. Each speaker was limited to two minutes for his or her Speech. The offices were very ably held and the speeches well given. The debate was won by one point by the Government side. After singing the National Anthem, the meeting adjourned.

Winnie Spencer spent Wednesday with Mrs. Chas. Stewart and Pearl.

Miss Helen McInroy spent a few days recently with Miss Jerrine Thomson.

Quite a few from here attended the shower for Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wellman, in Springbrook on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Runnalls will move into Tom McKeown's house in the near future. Mr. Runnalls has hired with Tom for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Rutherford and daughters were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bleecker MacDonald and Mrs. J. MacDonald, Dartford.

Ross Thomson has hired with Herbert Spencer and Son for the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore, our new cheesemaker and his wife, returned to Rylestone from Kingston recently.

Vera Stewart has been spending a few days with her uncle, Mr. John McKeown, Bonar Law.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Meiklejohn entertained the members of Rylestone League executive and the players of "Little Miss Jack" on Monday evening. After the executive meeting the players practised their parts, under the direction of Mrs. F. M. Rutherford. A social hour was spent and the hostess served a dainty lunch.

WILLIAM R. HOWSON IS ALBERTA LIBERAL CHIEFTAIN

(Toronto Saturday Night)

Out Alberta way the political atmosphere has suddenly become rather highly charged and it needs no very sensitive instrument to forecast turbulent developments to come. Those lively flashes of lightning and that ominous roll of thunder in the shadow of the Rockies indicate the presence of a storm centre of more than ordinary significance. And from the now-doubtful shelter of the government benches in the provincial legislature, farmer members scan the threatening heavens with anxious eyes. For they perceive all to clearly that it is but a matter of time until Jupiter, in the dynamic person of the new Liberal leader, will hurl yet another and probably more destructive thunderbolt into their already badly shaken ranks.

William Robinson Howson, B.A., L.L.B., M.L.A., has in truth become the storm centre in current provincial affairs. The political elements in all their fury seem to beat about the Roman-like head of this forceful figure as if its shining crest was but their natural playground. But Howson is neither surprised nor dismayed to find himself the unenviable object of hot gusts of criticism — frequently bordering on abuse — originating in every quarter of the political compass. He is a fighter by nature and instinct.

His Western career reveals a story of constant struggle against great odds. In debate, his style of address has been described as being "typically Canadian", whatever that may signify. At any rate it is a highly provocative style. He "lashes out" unmercifully at his opponents, be they on the government benches in the shape of U.F.A. or C.C.F. supporters or upon the so-called opposition benches of the Conservative, Labor or Independent groups. Not for long is his position on any public question a matter of doubt. His absolute fearlessness has made him some extremely bitter enemies and definitely alienated support in certain quarters which might possibly have been retained by diplomacy of the "pussy-footing" type. But in the estimation of the majority of his followers, the new Liberal leader's aggressiveness and extraordinary vigor have more than atoned for those inevitable consequences.

For the first time since the Great Exodus in 1921, the Liberal party in Alberta discloses clear evidence of vitality, genuine enthusiasm and a growing confidence in the worth of its acknowledged mission — the banishment of class government from its stronghold at Edmonton. In its place Mr. Howson proposes to create a balanced administration, a government representing a true cross-section of the whole community.

Born in Ontario

To lead them in this crusading assault upon occupational group government, provincial Liberals assembled in convention at Edmonton late in October of 1932 and amid scenes of the wildest enthusiasm unanimously selected W. R. Howson as their standard-bearer. The tremendous and spontaneous ovation which the new leader received when his name was placed in nomination surpassed anything of its kind in the history of the province. Even the Conservative press of the city acknowledged Howson's "great potentialities for public service. Fighting qualities are mainly responsible for his selection as leader. It is to be hoped that he will keep these in proper restraint and reserve his powers of attack for occasions when they serve a good purpose."

Teacher, banker, soldier and barrister, "Bill" Howson had travelled a long and toilsome way over the intervening half-century. Springing from English and Irish stock the young boy, destined to become leader of Alberta Grit forces first lifted his voice in vigorous protest during the fourth day of March, 1883, on his father's farm near Norwood, Ontario. His grandfather had cleared the first Howson farm in the New World and it was in that challenging environment that the future politician absorbed his first lessons in thrift, industry and dogged determination. Today the Alberta Liberal chieftain reflects upon some of the influences of his Ontario childhood and reveals a long-cherished ambition to operate a farm of his own.

"I can drive as straight a furrow as the next man," Mr. Howson declares, "and I can do a good many things that the farmers of today have forgotten. I can harvest peas with a scythe—I can swing a cradle —we used to cut the outside swath by hand back in Ontario to save the grain from being trampled. People don't do that any more.

"I couldn't run a combine, but with a small mixed farm I'm positive I could make it succeed even in hard times. With an Alberta farm and an application of old Ontario thrift, a man would never, perhaps, be rich, but certainly he would never be poor."

Youngest Bank Manager

Commencing with those days when he trudged barefooted along the two miles of dusty road to school at Norwood, the story of Howson's career is a varied and colourful one. In a sense his experiences over the succeeding fifty years symbolize the struggle and victory of true Canadianism in meeting the challenge of typically Canadian conditions both east and west.

He began teaching at the age of eighteen in the ungraded school at Mather's Corners, ten miles from Peterborough. Teaching soon palled, and after several years of clerking in the Sovereign Bank of Canada he was appointed manager of its branch at Stirling, Ontario. At that time he was the youngest bank official in the Dominion. He was retained in that capacity by the Bank of Montreal when it took over the interests of the Sovereign in 1908. As a result of several visits to the prairie provinces young Howson finally yielded to the lure of the far West and, impatient over a delay in the granting of his application for transfer to a Western branch, he resigned his position in the fall of 1910, resolving to shape his own destiny under Alberta skies.

Gold Medal in Law

Reaching the Foothill Province he accepted the first work that offered. During the first few months in his new surroundings he acted as implement company collector, and for a while, like everyone else in the booming West, he acted as real estate agent. In the 1911 Reciprocity election, Sheriff Van Wart, Liberal candidate in Calgary opposing R. B. Bennett, present Prime Minister of Canada, received welcome aid in his campaigning efforts from a newcomer to the district. It was "Bill" Howson, whose voice was now a far Western echo of the deep Liberal notes struck by his father and elder brother, back in Peterborough county.

The election over and having apparently observed from its local outcome how useful legal training could be in the local political field, Howson devoted his tireless energies during the following three years to the study of arts and law at the University of Alberta. During his spare time he served his articles in the law office of the late Hon. A. G. Mackay, long a power both in Ontario and Alberta political affairs. By 1915 Howson had graduated in both courses and his outstanding ability was recognized by the bestowal of the gold medal award for the highest general proficiency record over the three-year period of his scholarship.

Alert and Militant

In 1916 he married Jane Elizabeth, daughter of John and Lydia Carmichael, pioneer Westerners, and their union has since been blessed by three fine children — Margaret, Isabel Ann and William Jr. Shortly after his marriage Mr. Howson enlisted for overseas service and saw action in France as a private in the First Canadian Tank Battalion. Upon returning to Edmonton following the Armistice, he was made a partner in the new legal firm of Parlee, Freeman and Howson. From 1929 until 1930 when he was first elected to the provincial House as a Liberal member for Edmonton, Mr. Howson took an active and prominent part in the interests of the Grit cause. In 1931 he left his former partnership to organize Howson, Duncan, McLachlan and Cross, continuing the practice of Short and Cross—Edmonton's oldest legal firm.

A hard-hitter in public address and a forceful personality in debate, Howson was early marked for leadership of what he himself now describes as "the party of the helpful hand". And so, in the Foothill Province, at least, Laurier's dream of an alert and militant type of Canadian Liberalism is commencing to assume form and some measure of substance. In Howson the new Grit revival finds both its personification and inspiration.

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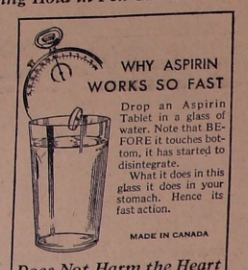

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ADDITIONAL PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Williams were week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams, of Lansdowne.

June Woodbeck had a birthday on Sunday and had two little friends, Evelyn West and Shirley Francis in to tea with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McGee and children, of Belleville, were Good Friday gests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McGee.

Mr. Morgan Rowland, of Albert College, Belleville, is spending the holidays with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Rowland.

Mrs. Lottie Vandervoort, of Toronto, is visiting Mrs. W. Hawkins for a few days before leaving for her new home at Moira.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Macklin were Good Friday guests of their parents, Mrs. A. Macklin and Mr. and Mrs. J. Scarfe, of Cobourg.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wells and Mrs. Catharine Reynolds, of Marmora were Good Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Reynolds.

Miss Geraldine Conley, R.N., Public Health Nurse, of Toronto, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Agnes Conley over the week-end.

Mr. A. D. McCutcheon, Special Exciseman at W. & A. Gilbey Distillery, Ltd., New Toronto, spent the Easter holiday with his mother.

Miss Dorothy Sager, Miss I. James and Mr. Stanley Northrop, of Peterboro, were guests of Mr. Charles Allan Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lamb and Mr. and Mrs. C. Frechette, of Belleville, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. A. Richardson, River Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Murduff and children, and Miss Iva Chambers, were the week-end guests of Rev. and Mrs. Budge, Hagersville.

Misses Winnifred Ward and Lillian Clarke, nurses-in-training at Kingston General Hospital, spent Easter Monday at their respective homes.

Messrs Gerald Craven and Jack Goodwin, of the Royal Bank staff, spent the week-end at their respective homes, Bath and Picton.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Sills and children, Lorne, Wellman and Harper, of Toronto, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harper Rollins.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Matthews, of Frankford are holidaying with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Richardson and Mrs. Thos. Matthews.

Mrs. Wallace Hoard has returned to her home at Hoards Station after spending the winter with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Geo. McCutcheon.

Mrs. Elmer Sandercock and children of Belleville are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cranston a few days this week.

Miss Emma Allan and Miss Fraser, nurses-in-training in Belleville hospital, were Good Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Meiklejohn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Beacock and daughter, Betty, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Beacock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McClellan, of Perth.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morrow and children, of Barrie, are spending the Easter holidays with the former's mother, Mrs. Chas. Morrow, Front St. West.

Miss Margaret Montgomery returned to her home in Belleville on Friday, after visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. C. Wright.

Misses Jean McCubbin and Jane Moffatt, of the Public School staff are spending the vacation at their respective homes, North Bay and Ancaster.

Mrs. R. Matthews, Miss Luella Matthews and Mr. Robert Matthews, of Harold, and Mrs. W. J. Morton, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harper Rollins.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hatton and children, Betty and Bob, of Toronto, were Easter guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hatton, and Mr. L. Meiklejohn.

Mr. Harry Dunlop, of Bank of Montreal staff, Toronto, and Mr. Jack Dunlop, of Toronto University, were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dunlop.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hough and son Douglas, of Deseronto, are spending the Easter vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hough, and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Linn.

Mr. Allan Meiklejohn of Athens H. S. staff, is spending the Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Meiklejohn; also visiting with friends in Toronto for a few days.

Mr. R. A. Elliott, of Toronto, formerly of Stirling, renewed acquaintances in the Village. Mr. Elliott has just returned after spending the winter with his daughter in California.

Mrs. Wm. Bailey of the O.S.D., Belleville, and daughter, Miss Pauline Bailey, of the Excelsior Life Insurance Co., Toronto, were week-end guests of the former's son, Mr. Jack Bailey.

Mrs. H. B. VanDellen and baby Nancy returned to their home in Cleveland, Ohio, today, after spending the past two weeks with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Morton.

Frank Gould, son of Mr. and Mrs. "Ted" Gould, Stirling, who has been for some time on the staff of the Royal Bank, Warkworth, has been moved to Dunnville, and takes up his new duties there on Tuesday.

Mr. Douglas Turner, of Whitby has taken a position in Mr. E. E. Eggleton's store. Mr. Turner has had considerable experience in the grocery business and is the grandson of Mrs. M. Caldwell, West Front St.

Mrs. Stanley Roblin, of Whitby, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Belshaw, returned home on Saturday, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Clarence Rollins, who will remain for a few days.

Dr. Chas. Endicott, associate Secretary of the Missionary and Maintenance Fund of the United Church of Canada, delivered an address in Campbellford on Sunday morning and St. Paul's Church here in the evening. He was accompanied to Campbellford by Mrs. H. C. Martin and Don Morton.

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WILEY — CHUTE

Rev. Mr. Foley, of Springbrook officiated at a very pretty but quiet wedding at the home of Mrs. Alice McCoy on Saturday, March 31st, at 2 o'clock, when Helen F. Chute, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Chute of Vienna, Ont., became the bride of John H. Wiley, son of Mrs. Alice McCoy and the late Mr. R. Wiley, of Springbrook. The bride was attired in an attractive dress of yacht blue triple sheer with matching accessories. She was attended by Jeanne Robinson of Tweed, dressed in a red frock of crepe and organdie. The groom was ably supported by his cousin, John Nobes, of Marmora. Mr. and Mrs. Wiley left for Toronto and points west, the bride travelling in a smart grey tweed coat with grey shoes, hat and gloves. The happy couple will reside in Springbrook.

REV. JAMES BATSTONE

Rev. James Batstone, 28 St. Clements Avenue, Toronto, superannuated minister of the old Methodist Church, succumbed to a heart attack at his home on Saturday in his 73rd year. He was born at St. John's, Newfoundland, Sept. 16, 1861, where he received his early education. He was a graduate of Albert College, Belleville, and a prominent member of the Bay of Quinte Conference. He was ordained in Trenton and held charges in Eastern Ontario at Coe Hill, Bridgewater, Bobcaygeon, Cherry Valley, Frankford, Colborne, Bayside, Yarker and other points. He was in charge of Rawdon Circuit (Stirling) prior to Rev. F. G. Joblin, the present minister. His last charge was at Selby, from which he retired in 1928, and had since made his home in Toronto. He is survived by his wife, Sarah Lillian Batstone, four daughters, Miss Muriel Batstone, Alberta; Mrs. M. N. Pond, Los Angeles; Mrs. G. R. Bailey and Mrs. E. W. Hanes, Toronto; two sons, James Batstone Jr., Toronto, and Charles Batstone, Detroit, and seven grandchildren. His funeral took place on Monday afternoon from the family residence to Park Lawn Cemetery. Rev. W. J. Johnston of Eglinton United Church conducted the service, and six ministers were pallbearers.

BONARLAW

Tuesday of last week was the "Big Night" in the history of Springbrook Lodge I.O.O.F. No. 429 when the degree team of Thomasburg Lodge I.O.O.F. No. 293 came to Springbrook and conferred the first degree of Oddfellowship on ten candidates, as follows: Dr. W. Wellman, Bruce Cassidy, Chas. Burkitt, Clayton Burkitt, M. Fleming, Percy Gray, Percy Bateman, Ray Shortt and Roy Shortt of Springbrook Lodge and Walter Warren of Springbrook Lodge. The Degree team were as follows: J. E. Bateman, Degree Captain; J. R. Bateman, King; Albert C. Porter, N.G.; M. Geen, V.G.; L. Morton, R.S.N.G.; J. H. Blakely, L.S.N.G.; Fred Coulter, R.S.V.G.; E. Morton, L.S.V.G.; Fred Blakely, Chaplain; Ed. Carter, P.G.; Jno Dudgeon, I.G.; M. English, Herald; H. Coulter, Jon.; A. Martin, David; P. Blakely, Lad.; W. Harrison, Jesse; H. Kennedy, Con.; S. Webb, Warden; Jas. Brown, R.S.S.; C. Morland, L.S.S.; the Guards were Bros. R. Geen, L. Adams, J. Smith, P. McTaggart, C. Jeffrey and W. McTaggart. Music was furnished by Bros. Lorne Carleton and W. Naylor.

This was also the occasion of the official visit of the District Deputy Grand Master, Bro. W. H. Heath. After the work of the Lodge was completed a tasty lunch was served in the lower hall, followed by after dinner speeches and musical numbers, Noble Grand W. J. Barlow, acting as toastmaster. Short addresses were given by J. E. Bateman, Degree Captain of the visiting team, W. H. Heath, D.D.G.M.; C. U. Heath, of Stirling Lodge, Jos. McEwan, of Springbrook Lodge and Percy Gray, one of the candidates. A solo was also given by W. Naylor, of Thomasburg, and a duet by Bros. Geo. Woodhouse and J. F. Baker.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the Thomasburg team for the splendid manner in which the degree was conferred and they were also given three rousing cheers. Before departing all sang "Auld Lang Syne".

Easter Services

Easter Services were held in St. Mark's new Anglican Church on Easter Day at 11 a.m. Communion service and 7.30 p.m. Evensong. The Rector, Canon W. G. Swayne preached at the morning service and over fifty of the large congregation took communion. In the evening Canon Swayne conducted the service and the sermon was preached by Rev. F. Beazer, of Roslin, who gave a very powerful message on "The power of the resurrection". The church was almost filled to capacity, about 165 being present. At these services the newly invested choir sang for the first time. The choir consists of eight boys, Kennard Baker, Ray McLaren, Chester Baker, Garland McKeown, Ross Fleming, Jack Prest, Glynn and Jack Eastwood; eight ladies, Mrs. (Rev.) W. G. Swayne, Mrs. A. V. Brown, Mrs. Isaac Brown, Miss Iva Brown, Miss Verna Baker, Miss Margaret Brown, Miss Phyllis Barlow and Miss Margaret Barlow, six men, Messrs S. S. McComb, Chas. Lough, Allan McComb, Ralph McKeown, A. V. Brown and J. F. Baker; organist, Mrs. Jason Baker; twenty-three persons in all. For the processional the choir formed in the basement, boys leading, the first boy bearing a beautiful processional cross, then the ladies and the men and clergy in the rear. As the fine old Easter hymn "Jesus Christ is risen Today" rang out, the procession reaching from one end of the church to the other, the sight was very inspiring. Upon reaching the chancel, the choir filed right and left to the choir seats and completed the hymn. The order of the recessional was almost the same the first few verses of the hymn being sung in the chancel and then the choir proceeding towards the west end of the church, while singing the last stanzas. During the offertory at the evening service, Mrs. Swayne and Mr. Baker sang the duet "He Lives" unaccompanied. The altar was beautifully decorated with easter lillies.

Personals

Mrs. H. M. Caverley, of Toronto, who has been visiting friends in this vicinity returned to the city on Friday of last week.

Mr. Thos. Quackenbush, of Niagara Falls, Ont., is visiting his father and brother for a few days. He is contemplating moving from Niagara Falls to Marmora in the near future.

Mr. Robt. Foshay and family have moved to Bonarlaw again for the summer.

Mr. Sanford Peters has secured a position with the C.P.R. at Havelock and has moved to that town.

Visitors to Bonarlaw for the week-end included Mr. Ralph Mumby of Toronto and Miss Annie Bell, of Toronto.

Mr. Reginald Roblin of Toronto is visiting his sister, Mrs. G. S. Eastwood for a few days.

Miss Eva Brown of Belleville is home for the Easter holidays.

Mr. Jos. McEwan and Mr. Gerald Bristol of Belleville attended the I. O.O.F. Lodge and banquet at Springbrook on Tuesday of last week.

HAROLD

Mrs. W. Potts, of Trenton, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Mac Mason.

Miss Cora Bailey and Miss Joyce Cavano are spending Easter week at the former's home.

The Ladies' Aid of Springbrook United Church were entertained on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Carman Sine.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Everette Sine on the birth of a boy.

Mr. W. K. Bailey, of Toronto, and Clarence Bailey of Peterboro spent the Easter week-end at G. A. Bailey's.

Sorry to report Mr. George Sine on the sick list under the doctor's care.

Mrs. G. Bailey, Misses Evelyn and Cora and Miss Cavano, spent Wednesday at Plainfield with Mrs. aBiley's sister.

Miss Edna Stillman is vacationing in Campbellford and Peterboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Collins, of Peterboro were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Reid.

The little grandson of Mr. D. Cotton, who has just recovered from pneumonia, had the misfortune to fall and break his arm last week.

Our community was well represented at the "Booth" sale this week.

Council met per diem on Monday, April 2nd at Harold.

Several of our farmers are trying their luck at Maple Syrup. The rain is running rivals with them this year.

Mr. Clarence Bailey motored to Toronto on Thursday morning, returning on Friday.

(Too Late for Last Week)

Master Bert Sine had the sad misfortune one day last week to be hit with a stick of wood above the left eye. He was rushed to the doctor's office where it required five stitches to close the wound.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey and Evelyn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clancy, of Wellmans.

Mrs. Wilson has returned home after spending a few days with her sister in Belleville hospital.

Miss Evelyn and Master Don Redcliffe are staying with their sister, Mrs. R. Papts while their parents are moving to Campbellford.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hagerman and baby will shortly become residents of our burg again to get ready for the factory season after having spent the winter with the latter's parents.

School is closed for the Easter holidays and our teacher, Miss Stillman, left for her home in Campbellford, where she is spending the holiday.

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CENTRE HUNTINGDON

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Gay and sons, Bobby and Billy, of Niagara Falls are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gay for a few days.

Mr. James Haggerty, of Belleville and son Barton, of Toronto made a few calls in the neighbourhood on Monday last.

Mr. J. C. Sills returned to his home here on Saturday last much improved in health, after spending several weeks in the Civic Hospital, Ottawa.

Mrs. C. B. Hamm and Marion, of Madoc, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Donnan on Tuesday last.

FULLER

The weather kinder bluffed us a bit and shifted sap, but now, sure we'll appreciate it more when it does come.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Parks, of Plainfield, visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Geen and Mabel one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ashley, of West Huntingdon spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Palmer.

The W.M.S. had a very successful wool-picking bee at Mr. Ben Brough's on Thursday. About fifteen ladies were present. Proceeds from dinner $2.80.

Word has reached us of the serious illness of Mrs. Harry Defoe, of Carmel.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Mitts entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank Palmer and Beverly, Miss Bessie Hollinger, Mr. and Mrs. H. Burke on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alger Post and family motored to Queensboro on Sunday.

Mrs. I. J. Brough and Mr. George Brough spent Sunday dinner hour with Mr. and Mrs. H. Burke.

Mr. Clayton Rutter, B.A., of Port Credit, is spending the Easter holidays under the parental roof here.

Rev. Merriam made some calls on the sick folks on Friday.

Mrs. M. J. Hallett entertained Mrs. I. J. Brough on Saturday.

Mr. Roy Mitts and Eva spent Easter Sunday with Mr. Archie Orr and Miss Stella Orr.

Miss Bessie Hollinger spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. H. F. Defoe, of Carmel, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Palmer are holidaying across the Bay.

We regret very much to report Mr. William Dean is confined to his bed.

Stirling Fair Sept. 18-19

Bancroft — Sept. 13 - 14.
Belleville—August 28, 29, 30, 31.
Campbellford—Sept. 25-26.
Centreville—Sept. 7-8.
Coe Hill—Sept. 11-12.
Colborne—Oct. 2-3.
Frankford and Sidney—Sept. 12.
Madoc—Oct. 2-3.
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Marmora—Open.
Napanee—Sept. 4-5-6.
Roseneath—Oct. 11-12.
Tweed—Sept. 27-28.
Warkworth—Oct. 4-5.
Wooler—Sept. 21.

Rupture Expert Coming to Stirling, April 10th — See advt. on Page 5.

MORTGAGE SALE

UNDER and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain Mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction on

SATURDAY MAY 5TH, A.D. 1934

at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at

The Stirling House, Stirling, Ontario

by Henry Wellace, Auctioneer, the following property, namely, the East half of Lot Number Ten (10) in the Ninth Concession of the Township of Rawdon, in the County of Hastings and also the South-west Quarter of Lot Number Ten (10) aforesaid, in the 9th Concession of the Township of Rawdon, in the County of Hastings, containing in all One Hundred and Fifty (150) acres of land, more or less.

On this property is situated a good house and barn with a good spring near the barn. This property should be seen to be appreciated.

This property will be sold subject to a reserve bid.

TERMS: Ten per cent (10%) down at time of sale and the balance in thirty days from date of sale.

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